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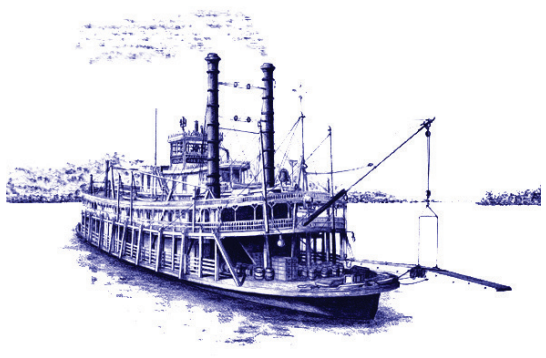

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Fatal fire at Madison Estates ruled accidental

BY BOB DEMAREE

The final investigative report was released late last week in the Wednesday, Sept. 20 fatal fire at Madison Estates Mobile Home Park, citing a determination that the fire was "accidental" and that a non-working fire hydrant "did not factor" in the outcome.

Dulce Cristal Martinez-Ortiz, a 14-year old freshman at Madison Consolidated High School, died in the fire despite attempted rescue efforts by responding emergency personnel. Toxicology tests ruled carbon monoxide as the cause of her death.

"There was nothing malicious and the neighbors did an outstanding job" in providing assistance during the fire, said Madison Township Fire Chief Robert Black.

He said the non-working fire hydrant "should have worked, and we shouldn't have had to have gone to another fire hydrant, but that did not have a bearing on the outcome," particularly due to the high temperatures of the fire and the fact that other water sources were able to be utilized.

Black said the tank water in Madison Township's primary engine to fight the fire "was down to 150 gallons still in the tank when we established water supplies at the second fire hydrant." He also said there was "an additional 1,400 gallons (of water) on site with us besides what was on the pumper. We were loaded to take care of things."

Black and Clayton Kinder, fire investigator for the Indiana Department of Homeland Security, spent more than 40 hours investigating the fire to be certain that no details were missed. They established that the cause of the fire was undetermined but likely electrical in nature.

"We cannot say exactly it was electrical. We believe it is, but there was so much damage due to the high heat," said Black. He said the home had been undergoing renovation and there were multiple flat screen TV and computer screens stored there that Black said can cause high heat output. He said temperatures reached 2,000 degrees inside the trailer during the fire.

Black said Martinez-Ortiz, realizing the trailer was on fire, warned her mother to get her younger brothers out. "For some unknown reason, Martinez-Ortiz returned to that end of the house trailer. We'll never have that question answered."

The mother, Ariana Ortiz-Roblero made attempts to rescue her daughter and suffered a burn on top her head, which Black said was sustained when she tried to re-enter the trailer to find her daughter. "She tried to go down the hallway, and a piece of insulation came off of the ceiling and landed on her head, and she received second degree burns there, and it burned her hair away from that area," he said.

Ortiz-Romero also went around to the north end of the home, where the bedroom was located, and broke out a window and tried to crawl inside to see if she could

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Bob Demaree

Sara Hare (left) mixes cookie dough while Nancy Owen (right) takes a batch of cookies to be baked in the oven during preparations last week for the Great Cookie Caper. The cookies will be sold to benefit the Women's Giving Circle during the Nights Before Christmas Candlelight Tour of Homes this weekend and next weekend.

Annual Great Cookie Caper does great things for local nonprofits

BY BOB DEMAREE

The Great Cookie Caper, now in its 12th year, not only provides tasty treats in conjunction with the Nights Before Christmas Candlelight Tour of Homes, but serves as a major fund-raising opportunity for various nonprofits in Jefferson County.

Each year all proceeds from the Cookie Caper go to a local charitable organization. This year's sales will benefit The Women's Giving Circle, a community of women of all ages and backgrounds who combine their financial strength to make positive change for women and children throughout Jefferson County.

The Great Cookie Caper began in 2010 by Marci Jones, who was coordinator of the Nights Before Christmas Candlelight Tour of Homes for 16 years from 2004-2019.

Jones, who continues to oversee the Great Cookie Caper, said it began as a replacement for Nights & Nibbles, a progressive dinner that was held on two Sundays during the Nights tour, but ended when the decision was made limit the tour to Friday and Saturday during the two weekends.

"It was very popular but when they did away with Sundays" it didn't make the progressive dinner feasible because the crowds were larger on Friday and Saturday, Jones said of Nights & Nibbles.

That led to the inaugural Great Cookie Caper with the Boys and Girls Club of Jefferson County recipient of the first year proceeds in 2010. "It just evolved," said Jones, noting $900 was raised that first year but 5,200 was raised last year and was used to purchase sun shades over the playground equipment at Hargan Matthews Park.

From its inception in conjunction with the Nights tour, the Great Cookie Caper has benefited a dozen nonprofits in Jefferson County for an overall total of $42,500 earned cookie by cookie. Other beneficiaries include Big Brothers Big Sisters, Habitat for Humanity, the Jefferson County Animal Shelter, the Sunshine Fund for Huntington's Disease, the Jefferson County Youth Shelter, SEI Voices for children, Ruth Haven and Girls Inc. of Jefferson County.

"Everybody volunteers their time, we all buy ingredients and everybody pitches in," said Jones.

The Great Cookie Caper volunteers will bake 400 dozen cookies for the fundraiser and each year the nonprofits that will

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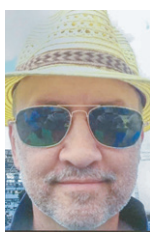
Joe Torline makes his popular sugar cookies on a stick that will be sold during the Great Cookie Caper this weekend and next weekend. Now in its 12th year, the Great Cookie Caper has been held annually in conjunction with the Nights Before Christmas Candlelight Tour of Homes.

The musical legacy of John Walburn



CHARLIE **ROHLFING**
CHARLIE'S BEAT

As I research and write this column week after week about the Madison music scene, there are a few names that keep coming up. People who were instrumental in laying the foundation of the music culture here (like JoeyG), and others who were influential in the development of the many talented folks we have playing and singing in our town.

John Walburn falls into the latter category. I'd not be exaggerating to say at least 10 people have told me "John Walburn was the one who gave me the encouragement and push I needed to get up on stage and give it a try." I can say it's true for me also, when I was a timid guitar strummer showing up at the JoeyGs open mic for the first time. John made me feel welcome and worthy.

Of course, I can't interview John for this profile, as he sadly passed away in 2010. But I was able to get very close to the source, sitting down with Geoff Walburn, John's son, local chiropractor, and a fairly busy musician in his own right. He's also an accomplished flautist, I've been told.

"Dad had this knack with people," Geoff relates. "In the week after he died, so many people came up to me and told me of their experiences with him. He'd basically listen and zero in on what their true passion was, musically or otherwise, and then he'd ask, 'If you couldn't fail, what would it look like?'

"Then he'd say, OK, that's what you should do! He did it with me. He did it with my sister Abby and her love of theater. He even did it with Jeannie Stotts when she was considering law school. He did it with so many budding musicians in town. He called up Andra Bladen in the early years of Soup, Stew, Chili & Brew and told her, 'You're playing! Work up an hour of songs.' "

John took over hosting the open mic night at JoeyG's after Joey passed, and many local musicians played their first note in front of an audience with John's gentle encouragement. He was also a staple at the Riverboat Inn and he helped pioneer live music at our Saturday Farmers Market.

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The late John Walburn performs at the Broadway Fountain in downtown Madison.

But if you look back at the big music festivals that are so much a part of Madison's musical heritage these days, you'll find John Walburn was always right there, helping to make it happen.

"We moved to Madison in 1996," says Geoff, "when dad took a job with ResCare. Within a year or so he and Jeff Garrett started cooking up the idea for a blues festival, and that's when Ribberfest was born.

"Dad was on the Ribberfest music committee along with Dave Butler, since the beginning. Next thing you know, Jeff Garret is talking about a folk music fest, and dad becomes the director of the first ever Ohio River Valley Folk Festival, later to become RiverRoots. And then when Soup Stew came along, another Jeff G. brainchild, he enlisted dad to bring in the first music, a tradition that endures to this day.

"Dad just had this positive way of looking at things, always seeing the opportunity. When I struck out on my own to open Rivertown Chiropractic, I was kind of getting overwhelmed by it all. But dad just said, 'I understand how you are seeing mostly stress from this move, but I gotta tell you, I'm just seeing excitement!' That meant a lot to me.

"When dad died I had so many people come up to me and say, 'You know, losing John is gonna leave a hole.' But I just replied, 'That's not how he'd see it. He'd say it was an opening!' "

HOT TIP OF THE WEEK

If you're like a lot of folks this coming holiday weekend, you have the big meal planned for Thursday, but beyond that you're probably asking, "How do I entertain all these guests on Wednesday and Friday and Saturday?!" Well, have

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Local burn bans lifted

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Outdoor burn bans were lifted in all four area counties — Jefferson and Switzerland in Indiana and Carroll and Trimble in Kentucky — due to improving weather conditions and a forecast for more rain this weekend.

On Tuesday, Jefferson County Emergency Management Agency Director Matt True sent out notice that in consultation with the Commissioners, county fire chiefs and the National Weather Service that a decision was made to lift the burn ban that had been in place since Tuesday, Nov. 14, while also asking residents to continue to exercise caution.

"National Weather Service had predicted a La Nina winter season which will bring a warm and dry winter for our area. Please use caution when burning. If you have any questions on how to burn safely contact your district fire chief for assistance," True said in the statement.

In Switzerland County, the burn ban that had been in place since Thursday, Nov. 9, was lifted by order of the County Commissioners.

In Kentucky, Carroll County Judge-Executive David Willhoite and Trimble County Judge-Executive John David Ogburn Jr. lifted the burn bans in their respective counties. The Carroll burn ban had been in place since Wednesday, Nov. 15. The Trimble burn ban had been in place since Wednesday, Nov. 8.

However, the state of Kentucky does have a fall forest fire hazard season in which it is illegal to burn anything within 150 feet of any woodland or brushland between the hours of 6 a.m. to 6 p.m.

WEATHER

Sunrise: 7:31 a.m.
Sunset: 5:24 p.m.
Temperature: High 54, Low 32, Mean 42.0, Deficit 6.1
Precipitation since last published: .46
Precipitation, November 2023: .46
Precipitation, 2023: 43.69
Barometer: 29.91, Rising
River Level at Clifty Creek: 422.73, Rising
Forecast: Saturday: Partly cloudy 48/Low 33; Sunday: Showers High 45/Low 26; Monday: Partly cloudy High 39/Low 22; Tuesday: Mostly sunny High 39/Low 22.

LOTTERY

INDIANA
Hoosier Lotto: 13-17-33-38-39-43 (11/22). Next Estimated Jackpot: $43.4 million. Next Drawing (11/25).
Cash Five: 4-17-24-39-41 (11/22)
Cash 4 Life: 1-21-32-48-51 CB: 3 (11/22)

KENTUCKY
Cash Ball: 14-8-13-31 CB 11 (11/22)
Kentucky 5 Extra: 2-18-22-32-37 (11/22)
Lucky For Life: 7-31-35-39-43 LB: 4 (11/22)

MEGAMILLIONS
17-22-25-30-38 MB: 24, MP x4 (11/21). Next Jackpot: $308 million. Next Drawing (11/24)

POWERBALL
20-24-33-39-42 PB: 21, PP 2 (11/22). Next Estimated Jackpot: $340 million. Next Drawing (11/25)

POWERBALL DOUBLE PLAY
20-21-30-55-56 PB: 14 (11/22). Next Estimated Jackpot: Up to $10 million. Next Drawing (11/25)

BIRTHDAYS

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OBITUARIES

Gerald Eugene 'Gene' Cloyd

Gerald Eugene "Gene" Cloyd, age 61, of Hanover, Indiana entered this life Nov. 4, 1962, in Los Angeles, California. He was the loving son of James E. Cloyd and Rosemary Bame Cloyd. Gene was a 1981 graduate of Southwestern High School and a 2012 graduate of Ivy Tech Community College. He also attended Vincennes University, Hanover College and Indiana University Southeast. Gene died Nov. 10, 2023, at Norton Brownsboro Hospital in Louisville, Kentucky. He was honored by the hospital staff and Kentucky Organ Donor Affiliates for his effort to donate vital organs and tissue.

Gene will be missed by his brothers, Perry D. Cloyd (Tracey), of Charlestown, IN, and Carter J. Cloyd (Linda Butler), of Madison, IN; his nephews, Justin Cloyd (Sara), Tanner Cloyd (Erica) and Brandt Cloyd (Amy); his niece Hayley Cloyd (Matthew Snyman); his great-nephews, Owen Cloyd and Grayson Cloyd; and his great-nieces, Teagen Cloyd, Annie Cloyd and Emerson Cloyd. He was preceded in death by his father, James E. Cloyd; mother, Rosemary Bame Cloyd; brother, James O. Cloyd, paternal grandparents, Everett and Lillian Wise Cloyd, and maternal grandparents, Oakley and Mary Ellen Pfleeger Bame.

Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday, November 28, 2023, at 7 p.m. , at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre-Hanover Chapel, 278 East Main Street in Hanover, Indiana. Private interment will be held at the Hanover Cemetery, in Hanover, Indiana.

Friends may visit on Tuesday , November 28, 2023 from 5 p.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre-Hanover Chapel.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Kentucky Organ Donor Affiliates, the Hanover Cemetery or the Southwestern High School Athletic Department. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Hanover and Madison. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Cynthia Ann 'Cindy' Stethen Westrick

Cynthia Ann "Cindy" Stethen Westrick, age 62, of Milton, Kentucky entered this life on June 25, 1961 in Carrollton, Kentucky. She was the loving daughter of Donald Lee, Sr. and Millie E. Dulin Stethen. She was raised in Trimble County and graduated in 1980 from Trimble County High School. She was raised in the Bedford Baptist Church in Bedford, Kentucky. She was united in marriage to Rick Dixon and this union of ten years was blessed with a daughter, Keshia. She worked early in life at different hotels in Madison in the housekeeping department and as a house mother at Hanover College. She worked for a time at Hardee's Restaurant. She currently had worked the past 12 years at the Waters of Clifty Falls as a cook and most recently in the laundry department. On January 17, 2023 she married C.W. Westrick at their home in Milton. She enjoyed cross stitching, Nascar, watching the hummingbirds and caring for her granddaughters. Cindy loved watching her granddaughter compete in gymnastics and band. Cindy died on Tuesday, November 21, 2023, at 3:20 a.m. at her home in Milton, Kentucky.

Cindy will be missed by her loving husband, Clifton Webb "CW" Westrick of Milton, KY; her parents, Donald Lee, Sr. and Millie E. Dulin Stethen of Bedford, KY; her daughter, Keshia Moses and her husband, Christopher of Hanover, IN; her granddaughters, Adyson and Riley Moses; her brother, Donald Stethen, Jr. and his wife, Lisa of Carrollton, KY; her sister, Abby Ring and her husband, Lucas of Sandusky, OH; several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, November 24, 2023, at 6 p.m., by Pastor Mark Payton at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

Friends may visit Friday from 4 p.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre.

Memorial contributions may be made to her granddaughters education fund. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Jacquelin Kay Eades Sipe

Jacquelin Kay Eades Sipe, age 84, of Madison, Indiana entered this life on October 12, 1939 in Madison, Indiana. She was the loving daughter of the late Leonard, Sr. and Hazel Juanita Pettit Eades. Jackie fought a courageous battle with dementia and Alzheimer's disease and left this life to be with her Lord and Savior on Saturday, November 18, 2023 at 11:31 p.m. at Hickory Creek of Madison.

Jackie will be missed by her sons, Brian Sipe and his wife, Kelly of Salem, OR, Myron Lee Sipe and his wife, Junko of MD; her daughters, Carlene K. Sipe Crooks and her husband, Rick of LaGrange, KY, Bonita Sipe Abney and her husband, Chuck of Madison, IN; her grandchildren, Brandon Sipe, Brian "BJ" Sipe (Kylie), Chris Crooks (Krissy), Annette Hawk (Nathan), Candace Brodzinski (Brad), Lisa Sipe, Kent Sipe, Derin Storm, Amy Stephens (Bailey), and Alicia Hendricks (Chris); 9-great grandchildren; her brothers, Keith D. Eades of Madison, James Willard Eades of Santa Ana, California; her sister in law, Judy Eades of Madison; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Leonard Eades Sr; her mother, Hazel Juanita Pettit Eades; her brothers, Leonard Eades Jr., and Phillip Eugene Eades.

Funeral services will be conducted on Thursday, November 30, 2023, at 11 a.m., by Brian "BJ" Sipe at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Springdale Cemetery, 600 West Fifth Street in downtown Madison.

Friends may visit on Wednesday, November 29, 2023 from 4 -7 p.m. and Thursday, November 30, 2023 from 9 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Carolyn Ann 'Judy' Klopp Boles

Carolyn Ann "Judy" Klopp Boles, age 81, of Madison, Indiana and Philpot, Kentucky, entered this life on December 6, 1941, in Madison, Indiana at the family home on Second Street. She was the loving daughter of the late Ruthford Elias and Thelma Lyon Klopp.

Judy passed peacefully from this life in the early morning hours on Monday, November 20, 2023, at her home in Philpot, Kentucky.

Judy will be missed by her loving husband of 61 years, Shafe Boles of Madison, IN; her loving daughter, Angela Boles Mahoney and her husband, Mike of Madison, IN; her loving sons, Dwight "Duke" Boles and his wife, Carrie of Philpot, KY; Dr. David Boles and his wife, Vicki of Philpot, KY; her beloved grandchildren, Austin (Carson), Beth, Kamden (Hannah), Kati (Jeremy), Rachel (Austin), Steven (Jesse), Faith, Brian, Brett, Cody (Sarah), Brooke, and Trey (Kelsey); her great grandchildren, Ted, Jack, Olive, Adeline, Daniel, and Bridgette; her sisters, Nell Gaye "Brownie" Rippe of Atlanta, GA, Kathleen Chambers of Madison, IN, Elyse "Weesie" Detmer and her husband, Wayne of Madison, IN; her sisters in law, Almajane Brooks of Amelia, OH, Christy Steinmetz and her husband, Joel of Amelia, OH; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Ruthford Elias Klopp; her mother, Thelma Lyon Klopp; her brothers and her sisters, Helen "Muffett" Klopp Lindsay, Edward E. "Bee" Klopp, Jean Hope Klopp Henry, Frank L. "Dicky" Klopp,Virginia "Gina" Klopp Bersch, Mary Faith "Fadie" Klopp Seaver, David C. "Deken" Klopp, and her father in law and mother in law, Allan and Myra Joan Boles.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, December 1, 2023, at 1 p.m, by Pastor Randy Crutchfield and Bro. Dan Corbin at the First Baptist Church, 416 Vine Street in downtown Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Grandview Memorial Gardens, 9306 North U.S. 421 near Madison, Indiana.

Friends may visit Friday, December 1, 2023, from 11 a,m. until the time of service at the First Baptist Church.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church with a scholarship in her name. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover or at the church. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

COOKIE

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will receive the money must match that by also baking 400 dozen cookies. "They have to make as many cookies as we make, and then they have to sell the cookies at the event," Jones said.

Annual memberships fees are typically the sole means that the Women's Giving Circle raises funds for the non-profits but participating in the Great Cookie Caper provided an opportunity, said Lynn Maricle, membership chair and a member of the Guiding Circle, the governing body of the Giving Circle. By participating with the Great Cookie Caper, that should increase the amount that the Women's Giving Circle can provide when its 2024 grants are awarded.

"We normally have $20,000 to $25,000 to fund," said Maricle, and it's hoped that participation with the Great Cookie Caper will roughly add another $5,000.

Kathy Crafton, another member of the Giving Circle, said that organization has only two activities each year "that's not even mandatory" for its $100 annual membership fee. "For $100, they're helping the community and not lifting a finger" with their involvement being whatever they want it be.

The Women's Giving Circle has raised more than $210,655 for non-profit organizations serving women and children in its 11 years of existence. Membership consists of an annual tax deductible contribution of $100. Each membership has 75% placed in a pass-through field of interest fund while the remaining 25% is invested in the Women's Giving Circle Endowment.

Jones said cookies were baked in the kitchen at her home over the first five years of the Great Cookie Caper. "I have one oven and a hand mixer, and there were anywhere from five to eight women, and kitchen is not little but not big." The Great Cookie Caper was then moved to the Venture Out Business Center which has a professional kitchen with multiple ovens, a large mixer and large cookie sheets. "It makes it so much easier. What took us eight nights to bake (at her home), we now do in four," Jones said.

The Great Cookie Caper features a wide selection of homemade cookies including chocolate chip, oatmeal, cranberry pecan, peanut, chocolate mint, truffles and many others. Jones noted that Joe Torline makes a sugar cookie on a stick. "We sell out of those every year," she said.

This year's cookies and treats may be purchased by the box for $6 or $15 or 3 cookies for $1. Cookies on a stick are $3 each. The Cookie Caper is located at the Visitors Center, 601 W. First St., on both weekends of the tour from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Fridays and 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Saturdays while supplies last each day.

OBITUARIES

Donald Lee Sargent

Donald Lee Sargent, age 74, of Milton, Kentucky, entered this life on July 20, 1949 on King's Ridge in Trimble County, Kentucky. He was the loving son of the late Charles Tillman and Margaret I. Schmidt Sargent. He was raised in Trimble County residing there all of his life. He graduated high school from Trimble County High School. He was inducted into the United States Army on October 27, 1970 in Louisville, Kentucky. He rose to the rate of Specialist Four serving in Battery A. 2nd Battalion 138th Field Artillery during the Vietnam Era. He was honorably discharged on May 11, 1971 at Fort Benning, Georgia and transferred to the Reserves and was discharged on May 4, 1976 receiving the Kentucky State Active Duty Ribbon with Oak Leaf Cluster and the Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal. On January 18, 1969, Donald was united in marriage to Barbara Carol Wright at the Milton Baptist Church in Milton, Kentucky. This happy union of 50 years was blessed with a son, Brandon Lee. He was a faithful member of the Mt. Tabor Wesleyan Holiness Church in Trimble County, Kentucky. Donald was a collector of things such as clocks, GM cars, Corvettes and loved Cadillac's, and truly enjoyed his property. He enjoyed socializing with people and truly never met a stranger. Donald worked for the State of Kentucky as a diesel mechanic for over 20 years. He was also the owner of Persimmon Hill Towing Company for many years. He loved his dog, Gracie Lynn and the companionship over the years. He was bestowed the honor of Kentucky Colonel and was extremely proud of that accomplishment. Donald died on Sunday, November 19, 2023, at 12:39 a.m. at the Waters of Clifty Falls in Madison, Indiana.

Donald will be missed by his dearest friends and caregivers, Jacklyn and David Fink, along with their children, Taylor, Garrison, and Jack of Milton, KY; his son, Brandon Lee Sargent and his wife, Chris of Seymour, IN; his granddaughters, Ashley Sargent and Morgan Sargent; his sister in law, Nancy McClure Sargent of Milton, KY; his brother in law, Norman "Butch" Wright of Milton, KY; his uncle and his aunts, Phil and Betty Wright of Madison, IN, Gayle and Margaret Wright of Atlanta, Georgia; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Charles Tillman Sargent; his mother, Margaret I. Schmidt Sargent; his brothers, Charles J. Sargent, and William Eugene Sargent; his beloved wife of 50 years, Barbara Carol Wright Sargent.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday, November 28, 2023, at 1 p.m., by Reverend Orville Mann, Pastor Wayne Mahoney and Pastor Chris Kendall at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Moffett Cemetery in Milton, Kentucky.

Friends may visit Tuesday, November 28, 2023, from 11 a.m. — 1 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre.

A final salute with military honors will be provided by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Riley Children's Hospital or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or the Brown Cancer Center of the Mt. Tabor Wesleyan Holiness Church. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Sharon Kay Brand Asher

Sharon Kay Brand Asher, age 73, of Madison, Indiana, entered this life on May 27, 1950 in Milford, Ohio. She was the loving daughter of the late Lester and Ethel Hill Brand. She was raised in Milford and graduated in 1968 from Milford High School. While she was in high school, Sharon met her future husband, and they married in 1968. This happy union of 54 years was blessed with sons, Rodney and Ryan. The happy couple settled on a farm in Jonesville, Kentucky and raised their sons. Sharon was a devoted wife, loving mom, grandma and great grandma. She worked as a bank teller for Crittenden Deposit Bank in Crittenden, Kentucky for 15 years and had also worked as a teller for Mt. Carmel Bank in Mt. Carmel, Ohio. Sharon dearly loved her bank customers and always knew their names. She truly exemplified the word homemaker and took great pride in keeping an immaculate home. She loved to cook, bake, can, gardening, raising flowers, traveling, and a great cup of coffee. She was a member of the Sherman Baptist Church in Crittenden, Kentucky. In later years the companionship of her four legged friend Barney the Bassett hound was treated like royalty. Her lasting legacy was making sure her sons, grandchildren and relatives knew her thoughts and love by the notes she left them to find. She was a devoted wife, a loving mom and mawmaw. Sharon died on Thursday, November 16, 2023, at 5:13 a.m. at the Swiss Villa Nursing & Rehab Center in Vevay, Indiana.

Sharon will be missed by her loving sons, Pastor Rodney "Rod" Asher and his wife, Jenny of Madison, IN, Ryan Asher and his wife, Stacy of Corinth, Kentucky; her beloved grandchildren, Easton Asher (Ginny), Jacob Asher (Madaline), Morgan Asher, Nicholas Asher, Chelsea Asher Yates (Clinton), Jordan Blakemore; her adoring great grandchildren, Caid, Cali,Salora, Scarlett, and Lincoln due in Feb. 2024; her brother, Richard Brand and his wife, Paula of Jacksonville, FL; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Lester Brand, her mother, Ethel Hill Brand, her husband of 54 years, Charles Thomas Asher, died September 24, 2022, her brothers, Kenny Brand and Ronald Brand, and her sister, Patricia Brand Hodge.

Funeral services will be conducted Monday, November 27, 2023, at 11:a.m., by Pastor Rod Asher and Ryan Asher at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Greenlawn Cemetery in Milford, Ohio.

Friends may visit Sunday from 4 — 6 p.m. and Monday from 10 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Indian-Kentuck Baptist Church Food Pantry. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Alicia June Hall Arthur

Alicia June Hall Arthur, age 58, of Pendleton, Kentucky entered this life on July 12, 1965 in Madison, Indiana. She was the loving daughter of the late Watson Graham, Jr. and Mary Wentworth Hall. She was raised in Bedford, Kentucky and was a 1983 graduate of Trimble County High School in Milton, Kentucky. She was of the Christian faith and had graduated from Ivy Tech where she received her LPN. She was united in marriage to Arvis Arthur and they enjoyed a 30 years companionship together. She worked for many years at the Waters of Clifty Falls as a LPN and later for Burleson's Mum Farm in Brooksburg, Indiana. She loved animals, watching "Days of Our Lives", cooking shows, raising flowers, coloring, fishing, and most of all being with her children and grandchildren. Alicia died on Saturday, November 18, 2023, at 9:39 p.m. at the Baptist Health -LaGrange in LaGrange, Kentucky.

Alicia will be missed by her former husband and companion of 30 years, Arvis Arthur of Madison, IN; her sons, Devan Hall and his wife, Lisa of Madison, Nazareth Arthur and his wife, Natasha Lassiter of Madison; her daughter, Amanda Arthur of Madison; her grandchildren, Bryar Hall, Olivia Arthur, Pierson Fresh, Rydar Fresh, Jailyn Arthur, Draven Arthur, and Kayden Fresh; her brothers, Jeremy Hall of Pendleton, KY, Jeff Hall of Madison, Mike Hall of Pendleton, KY; her sister, Jeannie Hall McLaughlin of Bonnieville, KY; her uncle, Joe Wentworth of Milton, KY; her great uncle, Charles Purvis of Milton, KY; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Watson Graham Hall, Jr., her mother, Mary Wentworth Hall, her brother in law, Tom McLaughlin, and her granddaughter, Mackynzie Nicole Arthur.

Funeral services will be conducted Monday, November 27, 2023, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow at a later date in the Moffett Cemetery in Milton, Kentucky.

Friends may visit Monday, November 27, 2023, from 5 — 7 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

Memorial contributions may be made to Multiple Sclerosis Society or the American Lung Association. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Eitha Landis Myhand

Louisville- Eitha Landis Myhand, 85, passed away peacefully at home on November 17, 2023. She was born in Louisville, Kentucky on January 25, 1938 to the late Eitha Marie Rogers Landis and Dr. Edward Everett Landis, Sr. Her loving heart and sense of humor touched all who knew her.

She is loved and survived by her husband of 46 years, Robert; her children Royden K. Cullinan (Jennifer), James E. Cullinan (Beth), Brian L. Cullinan (Sandra), and Ellen Marie Cullinan (Jon Arnold); her grandchildren Ethan J. Cullinan (Cassondra), Evan J. Cullinan, Christopher K. Cullinan, and Madison R. Cullinan; her great grandson Talon Loren Conrad-Cullinan; and her brother Dr. Edward Everett Landis, Jr. (Glenda)

Eitha received her Bachelor's Degree in Sociology from the University of Louisville and studied Fine Arts in the Master's program. She was a devoted wife and mother and a longtime member of Campbellsburg United Methodist Church. A renowned artist in wood, her work has been featured in Southern Living magazine and the Kentucky Governor's Mansion. Eitha was known especially for her meticulously handcrafted and hand painted Noah's Arks, nativity scenes and carousels. She was one of the original exhibitors at the Kentucky Art and Craft Foundation in Louisville (now the Kentucky Museum of Art and Craft).

A woman of many talents, she was previously a real estate agent, skilled metal fabricator, and manager of the Speed Art Museum gift shop. In her spare time, she obtained her private pilot's license.

The family has chosen to keep immediate services private. They invite you to a celebration of Eitha's life near her birthday in January, 2024. Exact date, time, and location will be forthcoming.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to the Alzheimer's Association or Arbor Day Foundation.

Lurie Allen Cason

Lurie Allen Cason, 94 of N. Fort Myers, Florida, previously of Deputy, Indiana, died November 19, 2023 in New Albany, Indiana. He was born February 27, 1929 in Geneva, Ala., the son of Lurie Woodfin and Catherine (Hammond) Cason.

He was proceeded in death by his wife Virginia Ann (Henderson) Cason of 61 years; three brothers Alcus, Wayland, Delano and one sister Nelda Wood.

Lurie is survived by two sons, Kenneth in Indiana, and Lloyd in Bokeelia, Fl. And two daughters, Linda in Kentucky and Nancy in Missouri, seven grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Private services will be held at Lytle Welty Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Madison, Indiana.

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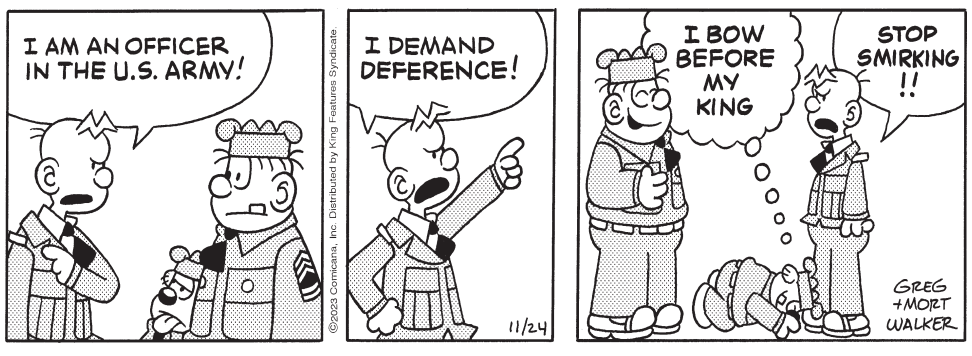
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I DEMAND DEFERENCE!
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I BOW BEFORE MY KING
STOP SMIRKING !!
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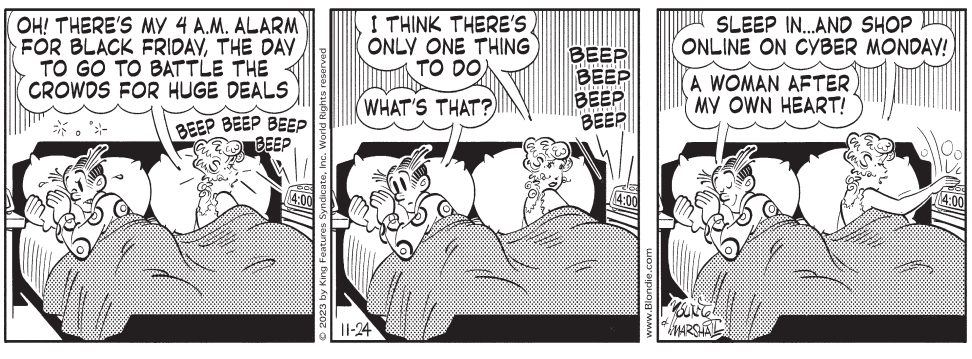
OH! THERE'S MY 4 A.M. ALARM FOR BLACK FRIDAY, THE DAY TO GO TO BATTLE THE CROWDS FOR HUGE DEALS
BEEP BEEP BEEP BEEP
I THINK THERE'S ONLY ONE THING TO DO
WHAT'S THAT?
BEEP BEEP BEEP BEEP
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SLEEP IN...AND SHOP ONLINE ON CYBER MONDAY!
A WOMAN AFTER MY OWN HEART!
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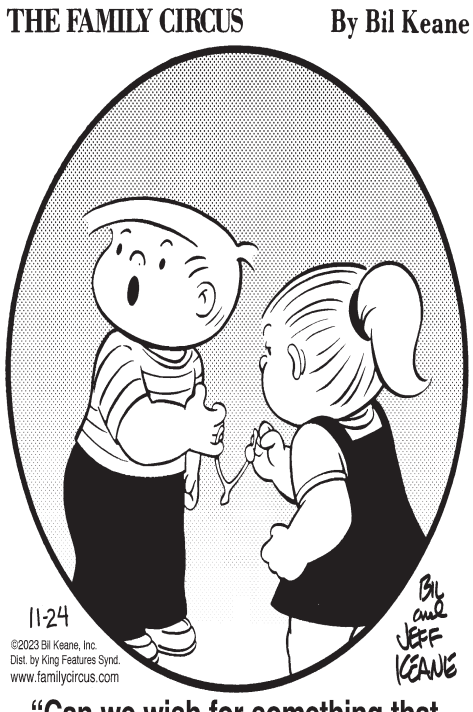
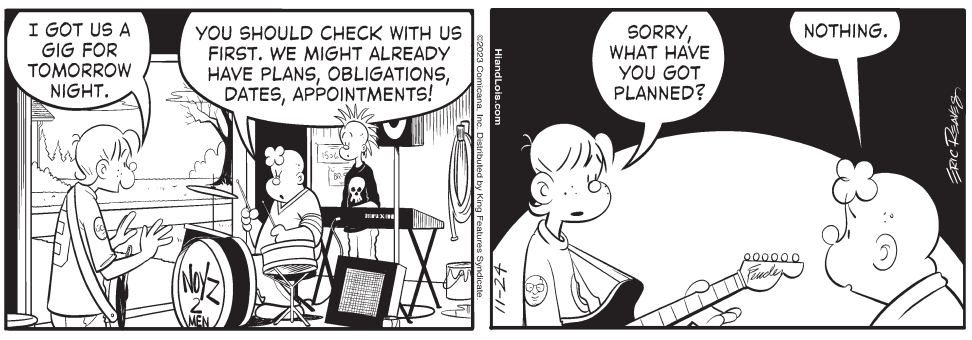


"Can we wish for something that costs over ten dollars?"

DENNIS THE MENACE

"I'M GETTING BIGGER BECAUSE I'M STILL A GROWING BOY!"

HI & LOIS


I GOT US A GIG FOR TOMORROW NIGHT.
YOU SHOULD CHECK WITH US FIRST. WE MIGHT ALREADY HAVE PLANS, OBLIGATIONS, DATES, APPOINTMENTS!
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SORRY, WHAT HAVE YOU GOT PLANNED?
NOTHING.
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BABY BLUES

DAD, WERE LEGOS AROUND WHEN YOU WERE A KID?
YEP.
BUT THEY DIDN'T HAVE THESE COOL MODELS LIKE TODAY.
WHAT DID YOU BUILD?
A LOT OF TALL, SKINNY BUILDINGS.
SO, BEFORE FUN WAS INVENTED?
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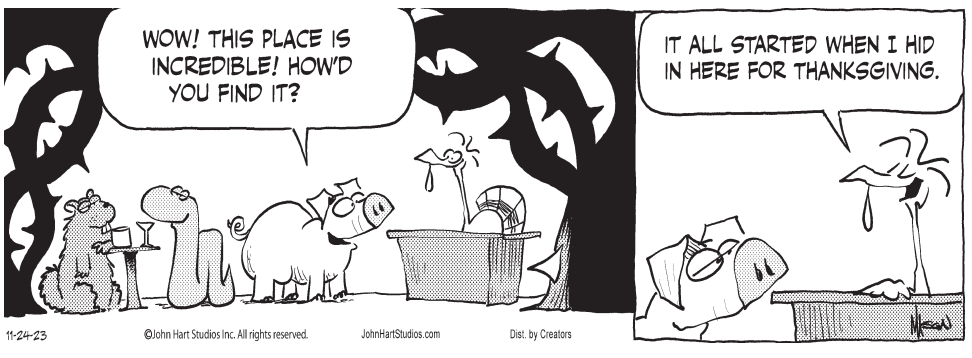
WOW! THIS PLACE IS INCREDIBLE! HOW'D YOU FIND IT?
IT ALL STARTED WHEN I HID IN HERE FOR THANKSGIVING.
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CURTIS

HOW WAS YOUR THANKSGIVIN', C-BREEZE?
THE PITS!
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MY COUSINS ARE TOTAL OPPOSITES - THEY NEVER GET ALONG - AND I WAS SET T'POST THE FUN ARGUMENTS
SO WHA' HAPPENED?? THEY ALL GOT ALONG, LAUGHIN', SMILIN', SO I GOT NOTHING!!
LEAVE IT TO A HAPPY FAMILY TO TORPEDO A HOLIDAY!
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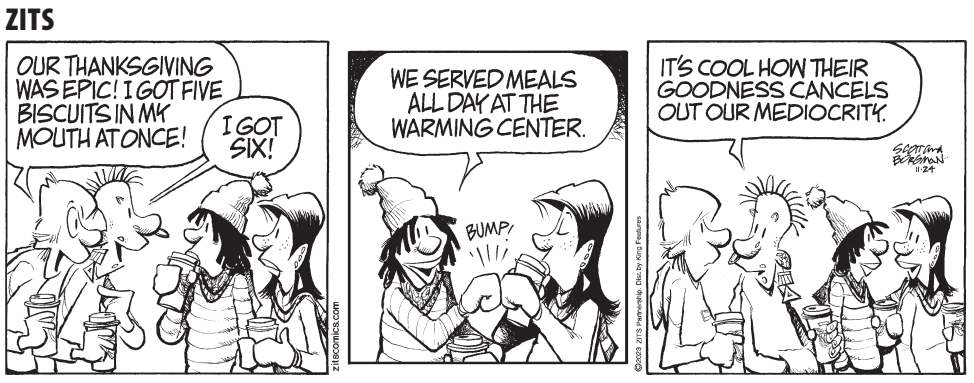
OUR THANKSGIVING WAS EPIC! I GOT FIVE BISCUITS IN MY MOUTH AT ONCE!
I GOT SIX!
WE SERVED MEALS ALL DAY AT THE WARMING CENTER.
BUMP!
IT'S COOL HOW THEIR GOODNESS CANCELS OUT OUR MEDIOCRITY.
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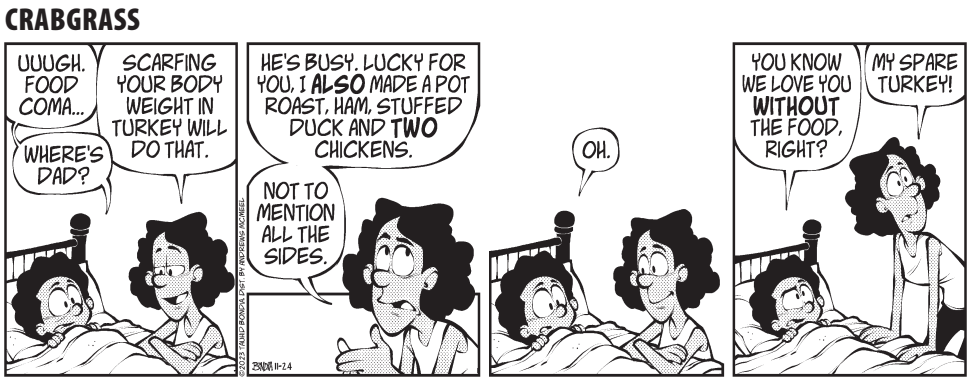
UUUGH. FOOD COMA...
SCARFING YOUR BODY WEIGHT IN TURKEY WILL DO THAT.
WHERE'S DAD?
HE'S BUSY. LUCKY FOR YOU, I ALSO MADE A POT ROAST, HAM, STUFFED DUCK AND TWO CHICKENS.
NOT TO MENTION ALL THE SIDES.
OH.
YOU KNOW WE LOVE YOU WITHOUT THE FOOD, RIGHT?
MY SPARE TURKEY!
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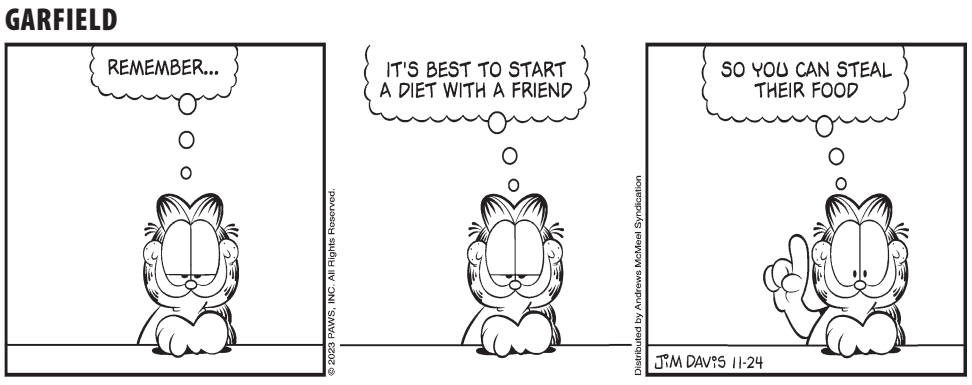
GARFIELD


REMEMBER...
IT'S BEST TO START A DIET WITH A FRIEND
SO YOU CAN STEAL THEIR FOOD
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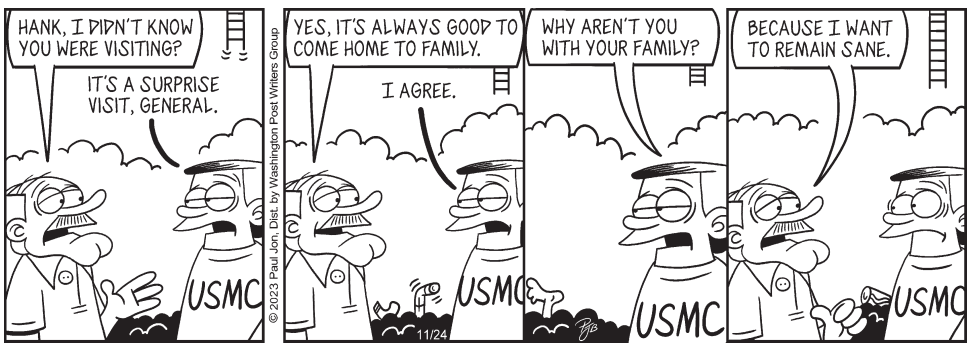
HANK, I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WERE VISITING?
IT'S A SURPRISE VISIT, GENERAL.
YES, IT'S ALWAYS GOOD TO COME HOME TO FAMILY.
I AGREE.
WHY AREN'T YOU WITH YOUR FAMILY?
BECAUSE I WANT TO REMAIN SANE.
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PICKLES

HEY, LOOK WHAT I FOUND IN THIS OLD COAT POCKET! A CHEETO!!
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO EAT THAT, ARE YOU?
SURE, WHY NOT? THESE THINGS ARE LOADED WITH PRESERVATIVES.
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CRUNCH!
OUCH!
I'LL SEE IF THE DENTIST CAN GET YOU IN TODAY.
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today's Highlight in History:

On Nov. 24, 1963, Jack Ruby shot and mortally wounded Lee Harvey Oswald, the accused assassin of President John F. Kennedy, in a scene captured on live television.

On this date:

In 1859, British naturalist Charles Darwin published "On the Origin of Species," which explained his theory of evolution by means of natural selection.

In 1865, Mississippi became the first Southern state to enact laws which came to be known as "Black Codes" aimed at limiting the rights of newly freed Blacks; other states of the former Confederacy soon followed.

In 1941, the U.S. Supreme Court, in Edwards v. California, unanimously struck down a California law prohibiting people from bringing impoverished non-residents into the state.

In 1947, a group of writers, producers and directors, who would become known as the "Hollywood Ten," was cited for contempt of Congress for refusing to answer questions about alleged Communist influence in the movie industry.

In 1971, a hijacker calling himself "Dan Cooper" (but who became popularly known as "D.B. Cooper") parachuted from a Northwest Orient Airlines 727 over the Pacific Northwest after receiving $200,000 in ransom; his fate remains unknown.

In 1974, the bone fragments of a 3.2 million-year-old hominid were discovered by scientists in Ethiopia; the skeletal remains were nicknamed "Lucy."

In 1987, the United States and the Soviet Union agreed on terms to scrap shorter- and medium-range missiles.

In 1989, Romanian leader Nicolae Ceausescu was unanimously re-elected Communist Party chief. (Within a month, he was overthrown in a popular uprising and executed.)

In 1991, Queen singer Freddie Mercury died in London at age 45 of AIDS-related pneumonia.

In 2000, the U.S. Supreme Court stepped into the bitter overtime struggle for the White House, agreeing to consider George W. Bush's appeal against the hand recounting of ballots in Florida.

In 2012, fire raced through a garment factory in Bangladesh that supplied major retailers in the West, killing 112 people; an official said many of the victims were trapped because the eight-story building lacked emergency exits.

In 2013, Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu harshly condemned the international community's nuclear deal with Iran, calling it a "historic mistake" and saying he was not bound by the agreement.

In 2014, it was announced that a grand jury in St. Louis County, Missouri, had decided against indicting Ferguson police officer Darren Wilson in the death of Michael Brown; the decision enraged protesters who set fire to buildings and cars and looted businesses in the area where Brown had been fatally shot.

In 2017, militants attacked a crowded mosque in Egypt with gunfire and rocket-propelled grenades, killing more than 300 people in the deadliest-ever attack by Islamic extremists in the country.

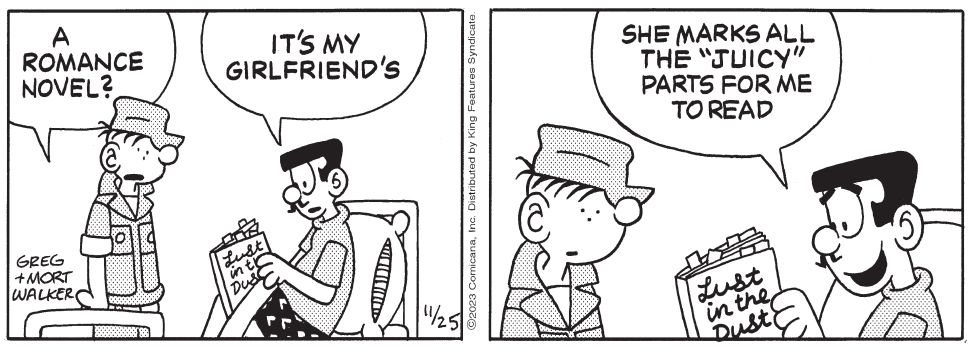
In 2020, Pennsylvania officials certified Joe Biden as the winner of the presidential vote in the state; the Trump campaign had gone to court trying to prevent the certification.

In 2021, three men were convicted of murder in the killing of Ahmaud Arbery, the Black man who was running through a Georgia subdivision in February 2020 when the white strangers chased him, trapped him on a quiet street and blasted him with a shotgun.

Today's Birthdays:

Basketball Hall of Famer Oscar Robertson is 85. Country singer Johnny Carver is 83. Former NFL Commissioner Paul Tagliabue is 83. Rock drummer Pete Best is 82. Actor-comedian Billy Connolly is 81. Former White House press secretary Marlin Fitzwater is 81. Former congressman and Motion Picture Association of America Chairman Dan Glickman is 79. Singer Lee Michaels is 78. Actor Dwight Schultz is 76. Actor Stanley Livingston is 73. Rock musician Clem Burke (Blondie; The Romantics) is 69. Actor/director Ruben Santiago-Hudson is 67. Actor Denise Crosby is 66. U.S. Homeland Security Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas is 64. Actor Shae D'Lyn is 61. Rock musician John Squire (The Stone Roses) is 61. Rock musician Gary Stonadge (Big Audio) is 61. Actor Conleth Hill is 59. Actor-comedian Brad Sherwood is 59. Actor Garret Dillahunt is 59. Actor-comedian Scott Krinsky is 55. Rock musician Chad Taylor (Live) is 53. Actor Lola Glaudini is 52. Actor Danielle Nicolet is 50. Actor-writer-director-producer Stephen Merchant is 49. Actor Colin Hanks is 46. Actor Katherine Heigl is 45. Actor Sarah Hyland is 33.

BEETLE BAILEY


A ROMANCE NOVEL?
IT'S MY GIRLFRIEND'S
Lust in the Dust
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SHE MARKS ALL THE "JUICY" PARTS FOR ME TO READ
Lust in the Dust

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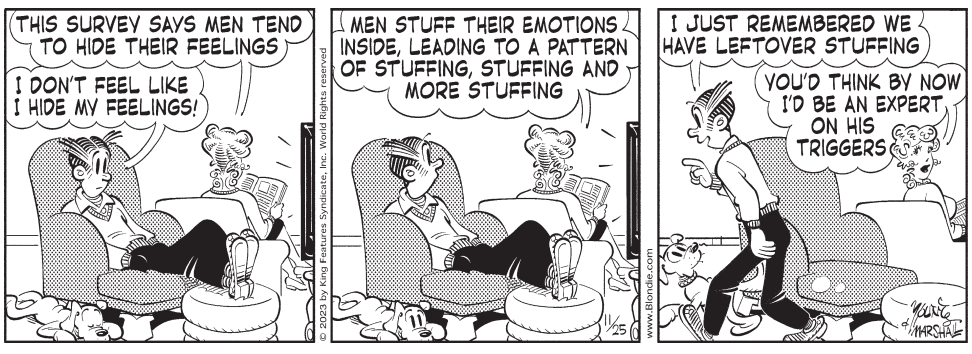
THIS SURVEY SAYS MEN TEND TO HIDE THEIR FEELINGS
I DON'T FEEL LIKE I HIDE MY FEELINGS!
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MEN STUFF THEIR EMOTIONS INSIDE, LEADING TO A PATTERN OF STUFFING, STUFFING AND MORE STUFFING
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I JUST REMEMBERED WE HAVE LEFTOVER STUFFING
YOU'D THINK BY NOW I'D BE AN EXPERT ON HIS TRIGGERS
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MARSHALL

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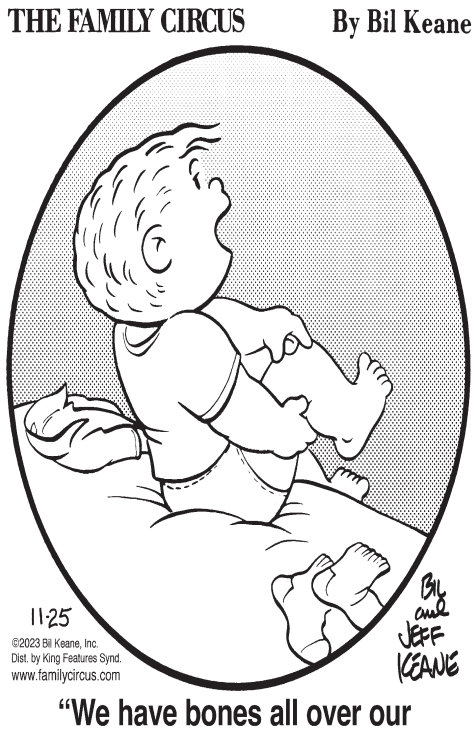
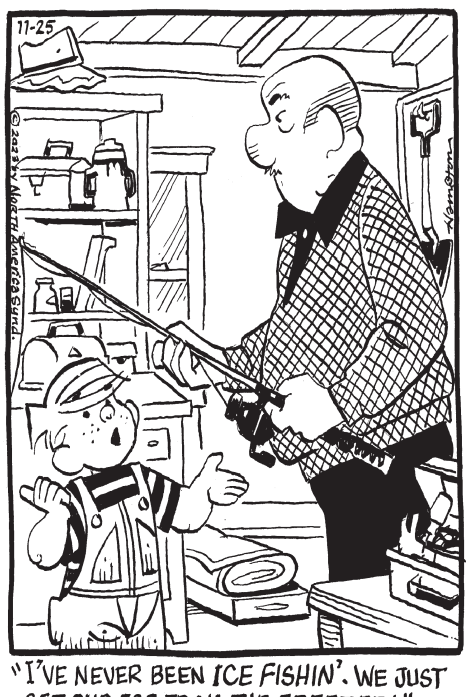


"We have bones all over our insides, don't we?"

DENNIS THE MENACE



"I'VE NEVER BEEN ICE FISHIN'. WE JUST GET OUR ICE FROM THE FREEZER!"

HI & LOIS

THE LEAVES ARE REALLY COMING DOWN FAST.
NO KIDDING.
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OUR GOLF CART IS ALMOST BURIED.

BABY BLUES

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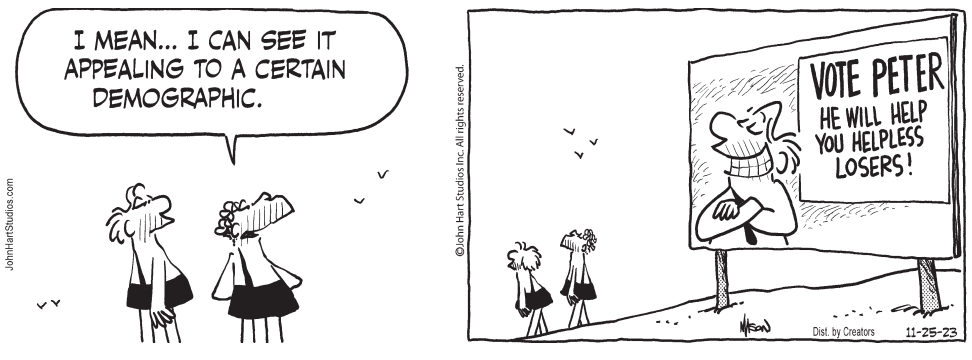
I MEAN... I CAN SEE IT APPEALING TO A CERTAIN DEMOGRAPHIC.
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VOTE PETER
HE WILL HELP YOU HELPLESS LOSERS!
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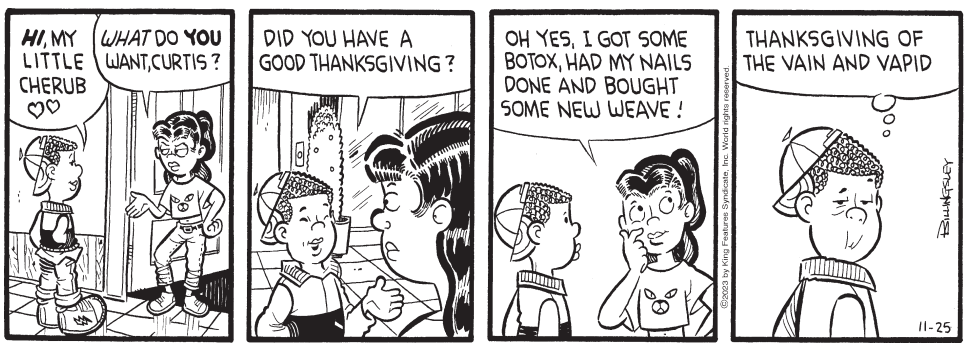
CURTIS


HI, MY LITTLE CHERUB ♡♡
WHAT DO YOU WANT, CURTIS?
DID YOU HAVE A GOOD THANKSGIVING?
OH YES, I GOT SOME BOTOX, HAD MY NAILS DONE AND BOUGHT SOME NEW WEAVE!
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THANKSGIVING OF THE VAIN AND VAPID
BILL HENRY
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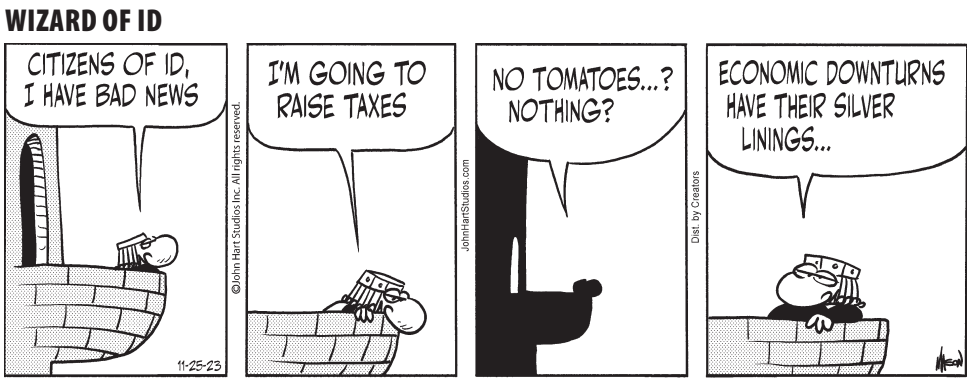
CITIZENS OF ID, I HAVE BAD NEWS
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I'M GOING TO RAISE TAXES
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NO TOMATOES...? NOTHING?
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ECONOMIC DOWNTURNS HAVE THEIR SILVER LININGS...

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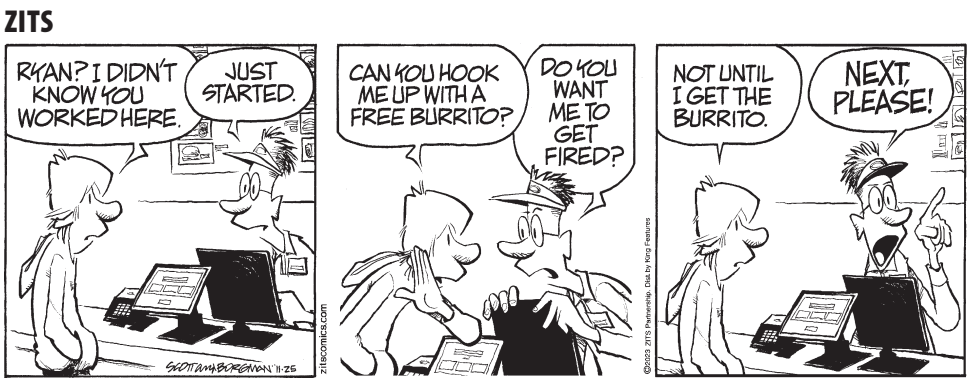
RYAN? I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WORKED HERE.
JUST STARTED.
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CAN YOU HOOK ME UP WITH A FREE BURRITO?
DO YOU WANT ME TO GET FIRED?
NOT UNTIL I GET THE BURRITO.
NEXT, PLEASE!
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CRABGRASS

MILES, YOUR PROTEST GOT ME THINKING. MAYBE NEXT YEAR, WE COULD TRY A NON-SPECIFIC FAMILY MEAL INSTEAD.
REALLY? SO MY THANKSGIVING BOYCOTT ACTUALLY WORKED?
WE'LL SEE.
WOW. AM I AN ACTIVIST?
LOOKS LIKE IT.
WHAT IF I POINT OUT THAT I TECHNICALLY DIDN'T BOYCOTT LEFTOVERS?
FIN.
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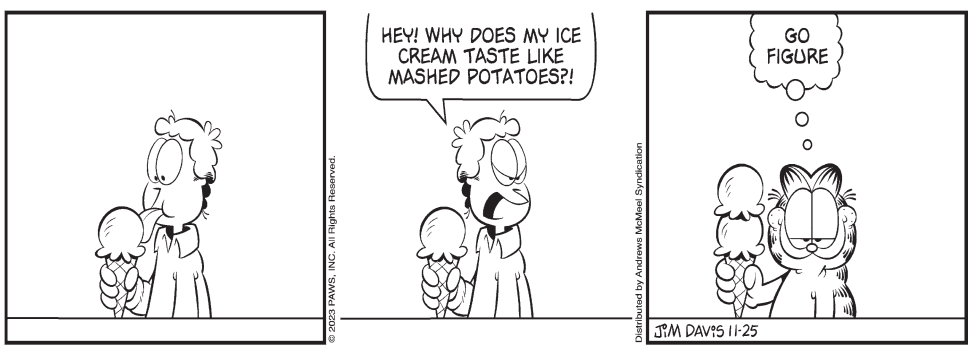
GARFIELD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HEY! WHY DOES MY ICE CREAM TASTE LIKE MASHED POTATOES?!
GO FIGURE
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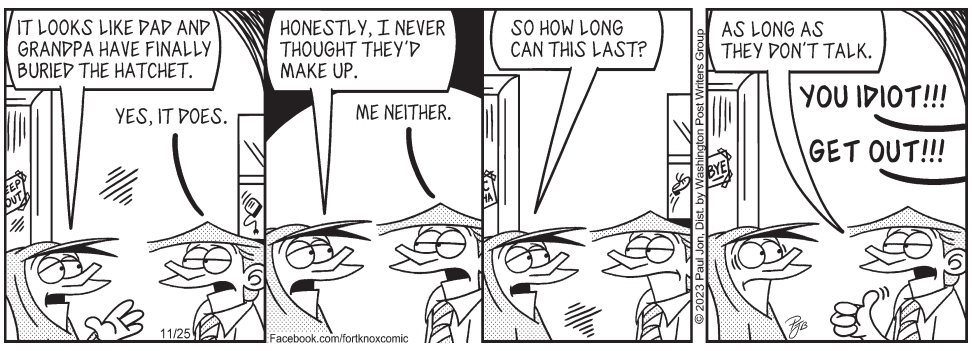
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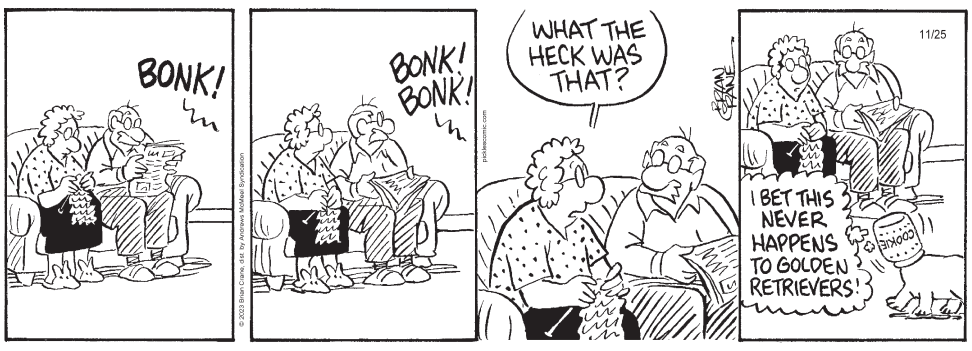

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today's Highlight in History:

On Nov. 25, 2016, Fidel Castro, who led his rebels to victorious revolution in 1959, embraced Soviet-style communism and defied the power of 10 U.S. presidents during his half-century of rule in Cuba, died at age 90.

On this date:

In 1783, the British evacuated New York during the Revolutionary War.

In 1914, baseball Hall of Famer Joe DiMaggio was born in Martinez, California.

In 1915, a new version of the Ku Klux Klan, targeting blacks, Jews, Catholics and immigrants, was founded by William Joseph Simmons.

In 1947, movie studio executives meeting in New York agreed to blacklist the writers, producers and directors known as the "Hollywood Ten," who had been cited for contempt of Congress the day before.

In 1957, President Dwight D. Eisenhower had a slight stroke.

In 1961, the first nuclear-powered aircraft carrier, the USS Enterprise, was commissioned.

In 1963, the body of President John F. Kennedy was laid to rest at Arlington National Cemetery; his widow, Jacqueline, lighted an "eternal flame" at the gravesite.

In 1986, the Iran-Contra affair erupted as President Ronald Reagan and Attorney General Edwin Meese revealed that profits from secret arms sales to Iran had been diverted to Nicaraguan rebels.

In 1999, Elian Gonzalez, a 5-year-old Cuban boy, was rescued by a pair of sport fishermen off the coast of Florida, setting off an international custody battle.

In 2001, as the war in Afghanistan entered its eighth week, CIA officer Johnny "Mike" Spann was killed during a prison uprising in Mazar-e-Sharif, becoming America's first combat casualty of the conflict.

In 2002, President George W. Bush signed legislation creating the Department of Homeland Security, and appointed Tom Ridge to be its head.

In 2009, Toyota said it would replace the gas pedals on 4 million vehicles in the United States because the pedals could get stuck in the floor mats and cause sudden acceleration.

In 2012, YouTube announced that "Gangnam Style" by South Korean rapper PSY had become the site's most watched video to that time, with more than 805 million viewings.

In 2013, prosecutors closed their yearlong investigation into the shooting rampage at Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Connecticut, that claimed the lives of 26 victims, 20 of them children; their report said the motive of gunman Adam Lanza, who also killed his mother and himself, might never be known.

In 2021, a methane explosion in a coal mine in Siberia quickly filled the mine with toxic smoke; authorities said 46 miners and five rescuers were killed.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Kathryn Crosby is 90. Actor Christopher Riordan is 86. Pro Football Hall of Fame coach Joe Gibbs is 83. Singer Bob Lind is 81. Author, actor and economist Ben Stein is 79. Actor John Larroquette is 76. Actor Tracey Walter is 76. Movie director Jonathan Kaplan is 76. Author Charlaine Harris is 72. Retired MLB All-Star Bucky Dent is 72. Dance judge Bruno Tonioli (TV: "Dancing with the Stars") is 68. Singer Amy Grant is 63. Former NFL quarterback Bernie Kosar is 60. Rock musician Scott Mercado is 59. Rock singer-musician Tim Armstrong is 58. Actor Steve Harris is 58. Actor Billy Burke is 57. Singer Stacy Lattisaw is 57. Rock musician Rodney Sheppard (Sugar Ray) is 57. Rapper-producer Erick Sermon is 55. Actor Jill Hennessy is 54. Actor Christina Applegate is 52. Actor Eddie Steeples is 50. Actor Kristian Nairn is 48. Former NFL quarterback Donovan McNabb is 47. Actor Jill Flint is 46. Actor Jerry Ferrara is 44. Actor Joel Kinnaman is 44. Actor Valerie Azlynn is 43. Former first daughter Barbara Pierce Bush is 42. Former first daughter Jenna Bush Hager is 42. Actor Katie Cassidy is 37. Actor Stephanie Hsu is 33. Contemporary Christian singer Jamie Grace is 32.

MUSICAL

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fear, you're in the middle of Indiana's Music City! Wednesday night has live music at four downtown spots. At Rivertown Grill they have a fun A/C-D/C tribute band, and the bar owner Joe Breeck will be playing the part of Angus Young. And if you like your music a little more 90s, check out the Albumists at the Central on Wednesday. Friday you might have fun at the VFW, singing Karaoke with your family and friends, it's open to the public. And Saturday you can enjoy the first re-opening show at Red Bicycle Hall with the Jimi Hendrix tribute show. Slick River Rockets at Thomas Family Winery will be a really fun evening, too. Get out there people, share our wonderful little music town with your out of town guests. They'll be amazed at what we have here.

Charlie Rohlfing is a retired advertising man and partner in The Red Bicycle Hall music venue. Look for his distinctive fedora bobbing above the crowd, anywhere live local music is happening.

THIS WEEK IN MUSIC

Wednesday, Nov. 22

The Central — The Albumists

Rivertown Grill — Bon D/C with Joe as Angus

Off Broadway Taproom — Taylor Eversole

First Street Saloon — Alex Billman Band

Thursday, Nov. 23

THANKSGIVING!

Friday, Nov. 24

Fairfield Cotton Mill — Back to 80's Music

The Central — Henchman

Rivertown Grill — Michael Trapp

First Street Saloon — Acoustic Edge

VFW — L&L Karaoke

Saturday, Nov. 25

Red Bicycle Hall — Jimi Hendrix Experience

Rivertown Grill — Bon D/C

The Central — Crossfire

First Street Saloon -Joe & Deano

Thomas Family Winery — Slick River Rockets

Off Broadway Taproom — Vaguely Familiar

Sunday, Nov. 26

Rivertown Grill — Joe & Deano

FIRE

FROM PAGE A1

grab her daughter. While doing so Ortiz-Romero suffered cuts to her shoulder and underneath her neck from broken glass.

The only other injury was minor in nature to one firefighter who did not require medical transport, said Black.

The call reporting the fire with a person inside was received at 7:23 a.m. on Sept. 20, with Madison Township, Rykers Ridge and Hanover Township fire departments all dispatched at 7:24 a.m. Hanover Assistant Chief Phillip Meredith and Madison Township firefighter Loren Marsh were first on scene at 7:26 a.m., along two Jefferson County Highway employees, Jefferson County Sheriff's deputies and Hanover Police who provided confirmation of the structure fire and that there was a person inside.

Madison Township Fire Department equipment was en route at 7:29 a.m. and the fire marshal was notified that a person was inside the burning trailer at 7:37 a.m. A crew of four firefighters entered the trailer to get to the person inside, and once the temperature was sufficiently cooled, the victim was located at 7:55 a.m.

Black said video footage from a security camera at the mobile home park showed that "neighbors really rallied" to help. "They were doing a bucket brigade" in helping to provide water. Another neighbor to the east tried to assist with a garden hose, he said.

Black added there was "great cooperation between all emergency personnel whether it's the Sheriff's deputies. EMS or the fire departments, or Hanover town marshal, and from county highway garage." He said they all worked to respond as quickly and effectively as possible to get the fire out and to rescue Martinez-Ortiz.

Black said there were no working smoke detectors in the home and noted that a smoke detector could have saved the life of Martinez.

"We hate for this type of stuff to happen," said Black. "We still send our thoughts and prayers to the family."

Since the fire, Black said there have been efforts to work with management of the Madison Estates trailer park to improve fire safety there. "We have asked them to do several things," he said, noting they are in the process of repairing non-working hydrants. It has also been recommended that hydrants be flow tested annually, and he said management is agreeing to do that.

Last month, Madison Township and Rykers Ridge fire companies also joined together to host an outreach event in which they shared fire safety information with the residents of Madison Estates trailer park.

"We're working with the people there to start to turning something into a positive instead of a negative," said Black.

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Above: Southwestern's boys basketball team celebrates with the Old Oaken Bucket after beating Madison for the third-straight year in their Turkey Shootout rivarly on Wednesday in Hanover. **Above right:** Southwestern's Peyton Cloud (3) shoots a 3-pointer over Madison's Mason Davis (1) during the Turkey Shootout on Wednesday.

Big response leads Rebels to rout over Madison

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Madison opened Wednesday's boys Turkey Shootout with a quick salvo that staggered Southwestern. But when the Rebels' responded, they did so in devastating fashion.

Madison hit two 3-pointers and jumped out to an 8-4 lead but Southwestern absorbed that blow and responded with an 18-1 run that quickly turned the tide and set the Rebels up for an easy 80-55 win and their third-straight victory in the series and sixth in the past seven.

Southwestern knew that the Cubs would come out of the gates hot. For the Rebels, the key was how they would react.

"We knew they we're gonna throw a punch really quick and we talked in the locker room about how we needed to respond and have an even bigger punch right after," Southwestern senior Jamison Lewis said, "and I think we did that."

Madison was energetic and aggressive in the game's opening minutes. The Cubs swarmed the ball, crashed the boards and got back-to-back 3-pointers from Mason Davis and Landon True to take an 8-4 lead and force Southwestern to call a timeout.

The team that returned to the floor for the Rebels was different. Southwestern's counter-punch, led by Peyton Cloud's 3-pointer that kicked off a ferocious 18-1 run over the final 3:48 of the quarter, gave the Rebels a 22-9 lead heading into the second quarter.

Madison closed the gap to seven (22-15) early in the second but got no closer. A 16-7 run the rest of the half staked Southwestern a 38-22 lead at the break, and a 20-12 third quarter turned the game into a rout.

Southwestern finished the game shooting 58% (30-for-52) from the floor and knocked down eight 3-pointers, all while holding Madison to 36% shooting and forcing 17 turnovers.

"After winning a couple of

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Photos by David Campbell

Above: Madison sophomore Juliana Davis jumps into her teammate's arms after the Cubs defeated Southwestern to win the Turkey Shootout for the 12th-straight year. **Above right:** Madison's Juliana Davis (4) steals the ball from Southwestern's Riley Scroggins during the Turley Shootout on Wednesday. Davis tied a school record with 11 steals.

Davis leads Madison to 12th-straight Victory Bell win

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Juliana Davis admitted to being nervous playing in front of the large Turkey Shootout crowd at Southwestern on Wednesday. But whatever nerves she had, disappeared by the final horn.

Davis scored 29 points and pilfered a school-record 11 steals to lead Madison to a 61-38 win over Southwestern in the annual Turkey Shootout on Wednesday, the Lady Cubs' 12th-straight win in the series.

Like everybody else on the floor, Davis started slowly as neither team scored in the first four minutes of the game. But the sophomore conquered her nerves and once the Cubs finally settled down, it was lights-out for Southwestern.

"The first quarter was rough. We were all nervous. It was rough for me. I saw this big crowd and it made me nervous," Davis said. "We started picking it up in the second (quarter) and starting in the third we finally said 'we got this' and locked it down."

Caity Dailey hit two free throws for Madison with just under four minutes left in the first quarter, the first points for either team, which seemed to uncork both teams as both closed the quarter on a flurry with the Cubs leading 15-9.

Nobody got going more than Davis, who followed Dailey's freebies with two 3-pointers and another basket and added two more treys in the second quarter. By the time her nerves had cleared, Madison was off to the races.

"I think maybe I over-think it a little bit. We came out in man (defense) because I thought it be best for this game, even though zone has been working so well," Madison coach Adam Dennis said. "Finally, we switched back to zone and it just clicked."

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SPORTS CALENDAR

Friday, Nov. 24

No local events

Saturday, Nov. 25

BASKETBALL

Shawe boys host New Washington, 7:30 p.m.
Switzerland Co. boys at Lawrenceburg, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 26

No local events

Monday, Nov. 27

SWIMMING

Madison, Switzerland Co. girls, Charlestown Invitational, 6 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 28

BASKETBALL

Shawe girls at Medora, 6 p.m.
Switzerland Co. girls host Milan, 6:30 p.m.
Hanover men at Hope, 7 p.m.
Carroll Co. girls host Dayton, 7:30 p.m.
Shawe boys at Rock Creek, 7:30 p.m.
Trimble Co. boys at Highlands Latin, 7:30 p.m.

SWIMMING

Southwestern hosts Madison, Jennings Co., 6 p.m.

WRESTLING

Madison boys host Batesville, 6 p.m.

No. 2 Purdue tops No. 4 Marquette for Maui title

BY KALANI TAKASE
ASSOCIATED PRESS

HONOLULU — Zach Edey and his Purdue teammates certainly earned a Thanksgiving feast. Forgive them if all they really want is a well-deserved break.

Edey had 28 points and 15 rebounds to carry the second-ranked Boilermakers to a 78-75 win over No. 4 Marquette in the championship game of the Maui Invitational on Wednesday.

The early-season matchup of undefeated teams did not disappoint in an entertaining event featuring five programs ranked among the top 11 in the country. Purdue took home the title after three hard-fought wins in three days against No. 11 Gonzaga, No. 7 Tennessee and then Marquette.

"I don't think anyone's leaving this tournament thinking they don't have a chance to win it all," Boilermakers coach Matt Painter said. "I thought our guys were resilient and I think games like this, whether you win or lose, it obviously makes you a better team."

Edey, the reigning national Player of the Year, shot 11 of 19 from the field and led the Boilermakers (6-0) to their first Maui Invitational title. The 7-foot-4 senior center from Toronto was selected the tournament's most valuable player after averaging 25.3 points and 13 rebounds.

"He's a horse. He's a moose down there," Painter said. "He doesn't have crap that a lot of young people have that get recruited heavily — he doesn't have that. He doesn't have a sense of entitlement. He's gonna play and he wants to earn what he gets."

Purdue led by 15 early in the second half, but Marquette chipped away and pulled to 76-75 on a basket by Oso Ighodaro with less than a minute left. Edey gave his team some breathing room with a right-handed putback of Braden Smith's missed jumper for a 78-75 lead with 18 seconds remaining.

"The ball kind of came to me. I didn't try to get two hands on it, so I just tried to hit it at the rim and that worked," Edey said.

Marquette had two chances to tie it, but 3-point attempts by Tyler Kolek and Kam Jones in the closing seconds failed to drop.

"They earned the win today," said Golden Eagles coach Shaka Smart, last season's national Coach of the Year. "We had some misfortune at different times throughout the game, but to win games like this you have to overcome misfortune. I loved the way our guys continued to fight; they played with tremendous guts and toughness."

Marquette was attempting to become the first squad to beat the No. 1- and No. 2-ranked teams in The Associated Press poll on consecutive days since Loyola Chicago defeated No. 2 Duke and No. 1 Cincinnati in the 1963 Final Four. The Golden Eagles' win over No. 1 Kansas on Tuesday was the third in school history over a top-ranked opponent.

Smith scored 18 points and Fletcher Loyer added 10 for Purdue.

Kolek had 22 points, seven rebounds and six assists. Jones added 17 points and five assists for the Golden Eagles (5-1).

Lance Jones sank a desperation heave from three-quarter court at the first-half buzzer to

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Madison wrestling rolls over Southwestern 73-0

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Tuesday's latest edition in the Battle for the Paddles wrestling showdown between rivals Madison and Southwestern was more contested than in recent years but the result was largely the same with the Cubs rolling to a 73-0 victory on its home mat.

Of the 14 matches on the night, seven were contested — nearly twice as many matches as in recent years — but none of the bouts was particularly close with only two going the distance and one ending in a major decision.

Six of the other seven bouts ended in forfeits in favor of Madison with one bout going into the books as a double forfeit.

"Southwestern has done a good job starting to rebuild their program. They've got more kids than they normally hav which is great to see," Madison coach Philip Wimpee said. "We had a match with Salem Friday night and we made a couple things a point of emphasis in practice leading up to tonight. And then we showed those improvements and that's all we were really looking for: not so much the overall score, but that we improved from Friday night and we did that."

Zane Skinner got the Cubs started off right with a pin of Southwestern's Case Lawson in 45 seconds at 150 pounds. Cam Wall then pinned the Rebels' Elliott Brooks in 1:38 at 157 pounds.

Taye Labolt (165 pounds), William Livingston (175), Ayden Waggoner (190), Marshall Davis (215) and Don Chen (285) each picked up forfeit wins for Madison before both schools forfeited at 106 pounds. Drew Zuckschwerdt (126) also received a forfeit win.

Madison's Ethan Pittman defeated Aaron Dominguez 5-0 at 113, Eli Stewart pinned Ayden Bowling in 1:12 at 120, Izik Roberts posted a 16-2 win over Gage Pennington at 132, Trenton Bivens pinned Jon Brinkley in 3:56 at 138 and Danny Mack pinned Damien Hernandez-Perez in 1:50 at 144.

"I think Danny Mack right there at the very end was impressive. He gave up the first takedown but came back to get the win," Wimpee said. "That's what we talk about, not letting things that happen in the match affect you. This is first time wrestling six minutes for many of them because they don't wrestle that much in junior high, so there are a lot of things we can still build on. But it definitely was impressive all around."

Photos by David Campbell

Madison's Ethan Stewart (bottom) throws Southwestern's Ayden Bowling during their match at 120 pounds on Tuesday at Madison. Stewart won the match by fall.

Madison's, from left, Izik Roberts, Ethan Pittman, Cam Wall and Ayden Waggoner cheer on teammate Danny Mack during his 144-pound bout against Southwestern.

Southwestern's Gage Pennington (right) controls Madison's Izik Roberts at 132 pounds. Roberts won 16-2.

Madison opened the 2023-24 season last Friday, Nov. 17 at Salem with a 42-34 loss.

Stewart (120), Zuckschwerdt (126), Bivens (138), Skinner (150), Labolt (165) and Waggoner (175) each scored wins for the Cubs.

Madison returns to action on Tuesday when it hosts Batesville in a dual meet. The Cubs will then compete in the Old Barn Brawl at Southridge on Saturday, Dec. 2.

Southwestern will wrestle in the Fugate Invitational at Scottsburg starting on Friday, Dec. 1.

MADISON GIRLS OPEN SEASON

Madison's girls wrestling team kicked off its inaugural season this past Saturday at the Ben Davis Invitational.

A total of 24 teams from across the state competed in the event.

"Three of our four girls wrestled their first wrestling match. Our girls were nervous but came out to battle," Madison coach Sam Johnson said.

Sophomore Maylie Skinner had a fantastic day, going 3-1 at 155 pounds. She reached the finals where she lost to the No. 1-ranked wrestler in the state.

Madison competed in the Turkey Tussle at Jeffersonville on Wednesday. Their next match is Dec. 6 at Switzerland County.

Indiana runs past Louisville 74-66 for 3rd place at the Empire Classic

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — Xavier Johnson had 14 points, Malik Reneau scored 10 of his 12 points in the second half and Indiana closed on a 13-2 run to beat Louisville 74-66 on Monday in the third-place game of the Empire Classic.

Indiana trailed 64-61 with 4:23 remaining after JJ Traynor's dunk but Louisville did not score again until Skyy Clark's wide open layup with 4.1 seconds left.

Johnson made a fast-break layup, following a steal by Reneau, to put Indiana ahead 65-64. Reneau added a basket in the paint and two free throws to make it 69-64.

Indiana scored 13 straight points in the final four minutes.

Kel'el Ware also scored 12 points for Indiana (4-1). Anthony Walker added 11 points. Reneau, who scored a career-high 18 points in a loss to No. 5 UConn on Sunday, finished 3 of 5 from the field and 6 of 6 at the stripe.

Walker scored nine points in the first half to help Indiana build a 34-29 lead. The Hoosiers got 18 bench points in the first half and 20 points in the paint.

Clark led Louisville (2-3) with 19 points. Tre White added 10 points.

Former Indiana star Victor Oladipo sat courtside.

Indiana plays Harvard in Indianapolis on Sunday. Louisville, which was coming off an 81-80 loss to No. 19 Texas on a buzzer beater, returns home to face New Mexico State on Sunday.

COURIERAREA SPORTS SHORTS

BY THE COURIER STAFF

• Shawe's Allison Knoebel has been named Ohio River Valley Conference Girls Basketball Player of the Week.

Knoebel, a junior, had 28 points and 13 assists in a win over South Central.

• Hanover College's Grace Bezold has been named Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference Women's Basketball Player of the Week for the second consecutive week.

Bezold, a junior from Covington, helped lead the Panthers past Earlham in HCAC action with her ninth career double-double. She netted 21 points with 14 rebounds and charted two blocks.

She currently ranks ninth among NCAA Division III and first in the HCAC in points per game averaging 26.0.

• Shawe junior varsity boys basketball defeated Medora 51-49 in overtime on Tuesday.

Loren Stiver had 19 points for the Hilltoppers while Tate Wieczorek scored nine.

Shawe, now 1-0 on the season, hosts New Washington on Saturday.

BASKETBALL ROUNDUP

Hanover women fall to Centre despite big game from Bezold

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Hanover College junior Grace Bezold had another huge scoring game but the Panthers ended up on the losing end of an 89-85 contest with undefeated Centre in women's basketball on Monday.

Bezold, from Covington, Kentucky, scored 27 points and added seven rebounds while Katherine Benter had 21 points on 7-of-8 shooting and three rebounds. Kylah Lawson scored 16 points.

Hanover (2-2) held a 47-45 lead at halftime but was outscored by seven in the third quarter. A pair of free throws by Bezold with 3:04 remaining put the Panthers up 82-80 but Centre regained the lead and went on to claim the win.

Hanover returns to action on Friday, Dec. 1 when it competes in the WashU Classic in St. Louis. The Panthers will face host Washington University in the opener.

Stephanie Hellmann

Hanover's Reese Sexton (3) drives to the basket against Centre's Katelyn Stiltner (33) during Monday's game at Collier Arena.

SHAWE BOYS WIN OPENER

Shawe boys basketball opened the 2023-24 season with a 51-33 win at Medora on Tuesday.

Medora opened the game with a 9-0 lead but Shawe battled back, eventually taking control in the second half.

"It was a good way to open the season and get a win against a sectional opponent," Shawe coach Dan Hambrick said. "We made some good adjustments and shut the shooters down only allowing one point in the second quarter."

Philip Kahn led the Hilltoppers with 22 points while junior Braiden Smith had 12 points despite playing in foul trouble. Sam Fewell added six points.

"It is nice to have some experience on the floor. Philip and Jacob Hertz lead us with their experience and all of our guys stepped up after a rocky star," Hambrick said.

Shawe hosts New Washington on Saturday then travels to Rock Creek Academy on Tuesday. The Hilltoppers will host Southwestern as part of a boys-girls doubleheader next Friday, Dec. 1.

LADY PACERS FALL TO CHARGERS

Switzerland County dropped a 64-53 loss at home to North Decatur in girls basketball on Wednesday.

Halle Archer scored 19 points and had three rebounds for the Pacers. Courtney Higgins had 12 points and three assists, Bri Stow had seven points and Molly Wrightsman had five points and seven rebounds.

Switzerland, now 3-3 on the season, hosts Milan on Tuesday and Gallatin County (Ky.) on Thursday.

PACER BOYS BEAT OLDENBURG

Kayden Phelps hit a free throw with 2.2 seconds left to lift Switzerland County to a 54-53 win at Oldenburg Academy in the Pacers' boys basketball season opener on Tuesday.

Switzerland, now 1-0, travels to Lawrenceburg on Saturday and hosts Clarksville next Friday, Dec. 1.

Six Annuity Misconceptions You Need To Know

Layin' it on the line

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Annuities: Six Common Misconceptions

Annuities often come up as a topic of discussion when considering retirement savings. Yet, misconceptions abound, possibly causing unnecessary hesitation for potential investors. Here's a deeper dive into the most common misconceptions surrounding annuities:

1. High Costs Associated with Annuities: Not all annuities are expensive. While it's true that variable annuities (securities-based annuities sold by security licensed professionals) may often come with higher annual fees between 3% and 5%—which includes various charges like management and insurance—the landscape of annuities is vast. Other types, such as fixed-indexed annuities, have lower costs. Choosing a plan that fits your needs is essential, and ensuring you're not overspending on features that aren't necessary for your financial goals.

2. Potential for Monetary Loss: The myth that all annuities put your savings at risk is widespread. This belief primarily arises due to the nature of variable annuities, which indeed fluctuate with market movements. However, other annuity types, like fixed or immediate annuities, are designed to protect against market volatility. It's crucial to understand the difference.

3. Inaccessibility to Your Money: Historically, once you invested in an annuity, accessing that money was challenging. This belief comes from older annuitized contracts. Modern annuities, though, offer more flexibility. For instance, the Single Premium Immediate Annuity (SPIA) does turn your lump sum into an immediate income stream. Still, many current insurance providers' offerings balance guaranteed income with more accessible options.

4. Emergency Funds are Locked Away: A common worry is the inability to access funds during emergencies. It's essential to understand that annuities are long-term investments. However, most fixed and fixed-indexed annuities permit up to 10% withdrawal annually without penalties. Some even provide greater access to long-term care requirements, ensuring you're covered during unforeseen events.

5. Death Means Loss for Beneficiaries: There's a prevalent misconception is that if an annuity owner passes away prematurely, the insurance company pockets the money, leaving beneficiaries with nothing. While this is a setup for some immediate annuities, most modern annuities ensure the remaining value is passed onto the heirs, safeguarding your family's financial future.

6. Complexity of Annuities: Annuities may initially appear intimidating due to their perceived complexity. However, once you boil it down, their core purpose is simple: they shield against market downturns, ensure a steady income stream, offer long-term care options, and help establish a legacy. It's like driving a car—you don't need to be a mechanic to use it, but it's essential to grasp its basic functionalities.

Annuities are versatile financial tools designed to cater to various needs. Their main attraction is the security they bring to one's retirement strategy. As with all financial products, conducting thorough research and consulting with experienced, trusted professionals is imperative. Doing so helps make the most of annuities, ensuring a comfortable and secure retirement.

- Costs: Not all annuities are expensive; variable annuities tend to have higher fees, while others, like fixed-indexed annuities, have lower costs.
- Monetary Loss: Only variable annuities are exposed to market risks. Other types protect against volatility.
- Accessibility: Modern annuities offer flexibility, allowing access to funds when needed.
- Emergency Funds: Many annuities permit up to 10% penalty-free withdrawal annually, with some even catering to unexpected long-term care situations.
- Death and Beneficiaries: Most modern annuities ensure beneficiaries receive the remaining value upon the annuity owner's death.
- Complexity: While annuities may seem intricate, their core purpose is to provide security, steady income, long-term care options, and a legacy.

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REBELS

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games in this rivalry, we knew that (Madison) was going to come out, ready to go. They we're going to throw a punch and we had to be ready to counter that," Southwestern coach Zac Nussbaum said. "And give the boys credit, they did exactly that. I give a lot of credit to Peyton Cloud. He hit a big shot and his defensive intensity really keyed us. His defensive intensity is what turned the game."

Southwestern had won 20 games a year ago and lost two starters to graduation, but the remaining Rebels are a year older and stronger. For Lewis, that maturation is the key.

"I think we're better than we were last year just because we have a lot more experience," Lewis said. "Last year, we only had two returning players. This year, we have three or four, maybe five that played varsity minutes. I think we'll be way more prepared mentally for closer games this year."

Four Rebels finished in double figures in scoring with Cloud gaining 19 points, Lewis 18, Brady Cook 17 and Landon Kidwell 14. Lewis also had 10 rebounds, three assists and four steals, all team-highs.

"Jamison Lewis would score 30 a game if he played for somebody else, but he's so unselfish and he understands that he has a lot of really good players around him," Nussbaum said. "He's going to get everybody else involved. He's going to make it easier for everyone else."

Mason Davis scored 19 points to lead Madison but was the only Cub in double figures. Ryder Jones added nine points.

While disappointed with the loss, Madison coach Adam Stotts said that he saw several positives which moving forward will help the team.

"I think Southwestern played phenomenal tonight," Stotts said. "We were very high on our team coming in and I still am, but we did not respond well, for whatever reason. I talk all the time about how we need to be dogs and I think that's the perfect word to describe Southwestern. I thought the beginning of the game, we were good and I thought the fourth quarter we looked good. But overall, from first to fourth, I just think that Southwestern was better than us."

Both teams return to action next Friday, Dec. 1. Southwestern heads to Shawe for a boys-girls doubleheader while Madison travels to Jennings County.

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That defensive switch for Madison proved to be the difference. Southwestern had stayed close for the first quarter-plus, pulling to within 15-14 on a Riley Scroggins basket with 7:01 left in the second, but Bailey Owens drained a 3-pointer for Madison and the Cubs quickly pushed the lead to 11 (27-16) by halftime.

It was the second half where Madison really took off. Leading just 30-21 with 5:08 to go, the Cubs' defense took over the game and used steals and turnovers to turn the game into a rout. Madison finished with 22 steals and scored 27 points off Southwestern's 27 turnovers.

Southwestern coach Brian Crank liked a lot of things his team did on the night, but the turnovers were simply way too much to overcome.

"We got off to a great start. That's the first time that we've gotten off to a good start in the Turkey Shootout. But there was a four or five minute stretch where we couldn't score and we couldn't stop turning it over," Crank said. "We knew turnover difference was going to be the key and that was one of our goals. We wanted to win the turnover battle and of course we didn't do that."

Davis was at the heart of that defensive disparity. Her 11 steals tied the Madison school record set by Brittany Myers in 2002 and she was far more pleased with the steals than her 29 points.

"I wanted to get 12 so bad. I was pushing myself to get 12," Davis said with a smile.

As good as Davis was, she wasn't the only Cub to have a big night. Dailey finished with 15 points and had five rebounds while Owens scored 10 points and had three assists. Addison Roark came off the bench and ended up playing 21 minutes, scoring five points and getting six steals of her own.

"We're just super proud of all of our kids. Everybody that came in just played so well," Dennis said. "This is such an even-keeled group and they don't get it from me; I'm a nervous wreck before every game. But they just love what they're doing, and I think that helps a lot and has a lot to do with their success. They never get too low and they never get too high. They're a super fun group."

Ashley Fulton scored 15 points and had 10 rebounds for the Rebels. Riley Scroggins added 10 points and nine rebounds.

Madison (6-0) is off to its best start since the 2013-14 season, a team that reached the regional championship game. Madison travels to Floyd Central on Wednesday and hosts East Central on Thursday.

Southwestern falls to 2-4 on the season but Crank is already looking ahead. While he would love to have won the game, the beginning of Ohio River Valley Conference play next week is more important. Southwestern heads to Shawe next Friday, Dec. 1.

"The South Dearborn game last Saturday was one of the best games we've played since I've been here and I really wanted to see us carry that over to today and I think we did," Crank said. "Obviously we had too many turnovers, but the effort and the will to compete was there and that's something we can work on next week. They don't hang banners for the Turkey Shootout but they do for conference championships and that's what we're looking for. Friday (at Shawe) is a much more important game in my eyes than this one.

PURDUE

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give Purdue a 45-33 lead at the break.

"I've hit a couple half-courters before, but never that far away," he said.

BIG PICTURE

Purdue is all but certain to move to No. 1 in the AP Top 25 by virtue of its three wins over three teams ranked in the top 11 this week.

TIP-INS

Purdue has won 30 straight regular-season nonconference games and three consecutive Thanksgiving week tournaments (2021 Hall of Fame Tipoff, 2022 Phil Knight Legacy). … The Boilermakers have won 20 straight November games. … Purdue improved to 11-1 against Marquette, including a 75-70 win last season.

UP NEXT

Purdue: Will host Texas Southern on Tuesday in the second meeting between the schools.

Marquette: Will face Southern at home on Tuesday before playing at in-state rival Wisconsin on Dec. 2.

FRIDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	WAV..	NBCN..	Big Ten	College Football Penn State at Michigan State (N) (Live)							WAV..
4 WTTV	4		(4:00) College Football			Sheldon	Greatest @ (N)		Raid the Cage		Blue Bloods		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	LightUp	Big Ten	College Football Penn State at Michigan State (N) (Live)							News
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Inside..	ET (N)	Reindeer		FBoy Island (N)		News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		(3:30) Fo..	Football	Football	College Football Texas Tech at Texas (N) (Live)							News
11 WHAS	11	4	(3:30) Fo..	Football	Football	College Football Texas Tech at Texas (N) (Live)							News
15 WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	NewsHour (N)		Comm..	Week	Great Performances			Show	BBCN..
19 WXIX	10		College Basketball				Update	College Football Oregon State at Oregon (N) (Live)					
32 WLKY	5	5	(4:00) College Football			Jeopar..	Greatest @ (N)		Raid the Cage		Blue Bloods		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	Reindeer		FBoy Island (N)		BigBa..	Sheldon	LastM..
41 WDRB	8	9	College Basketball				Update	College Football Oregon State at Oregon (N) (Live)					
A&E	28	36	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48 (N)		Killer Cases (N)		Murder-21 (N)		First48
AMC	29	26	(4:30) Big		The Great Outdoors ('88)				Sixteen Candles ('84)				Movie
COM	45	59	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office
DISC	31	38	Gold Rush		Gold Rush		Gold Rush (N)		(:05) Bering Sea Gold (N)				Myster..
DISN	25	29	Kiff	Big City	Big City	Big City	Christmas...Again?!			Ghost	Ghost	(:35) Kiff	Bunk'd
ESPN	32	44	(5:30) College Basketball			Basketball Miami Heat at New York Knicks			NBA Basketball				
FREE	18	40	(:20) Disney's A Christmas Carol ('09)				Dr. Seuss' How the Grinch Stole Christmas						700Club
FX	40	28	The Santa Clause ('94)				The Santa Clause 2 ('02)				Santa Clause 3: Escape...		
HBO	201	17	(5:00) Manchu...		(:15) Focus ('15) Will Smith.				Love Has Won		Real, Bill Maher		Gilded
MAX	270	73	Paycheck ('03) Ben Affleck.				Unbreakable			(:45) Heist ('15)			Movie
NEWSNTN	20	20	Elizabeth (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo
PARMT	35	41	(5:30) Y..	Yellowstone		Yellowstone		Yellowstone		(:35) Yellowstone		(:35) Yellowstone	
SHOW	221	16	(4:20) There W...		Scream ('22) Neve Campbell.				Scream VI ('23)				Movie
TMC	233	74	(:20) Mean Girls ('04)				When Harry Met Sally...			(:40) Memories of Me ('88)			
TNT	27	43	NHL Hockey					NHL Hockey					
USA	26	33	(5:15) Harry Potter & the Deathly...				Grinch	Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince					

SATURDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	WAV..	NBCN..	Chefs	Song	The National Dog Show				Dateline NBC		WAV..
4 WTTV	4		(3:30) Football		Sheldon	Sheldon	Grio Awards (N)				48 Hours (N)		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News (N)		NBCN..	Let'sT..	The National Dog Show				Dateline NBC		News
8 WISH	12		News	FamFe..	The Rookie		A Waltons Thanksgiving ('22)				News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		(3:30) Fo..	Football	Football	College Football Georgia at Georgia Tech (N) (Live)							News
11 WHAS	11	4	(3:30) Fo..	Football	Football	College Football Georgia at Georgia Tech (N) (Live)							News
15 WKPC	13		(5:00) Lawrence Welk			Celtic Woman 20th				John Denver's Rocky			Suze
19 WXIX	10		(4:00) College Football			Update	College Football Teams TBA (N) (Live)						
32 WLKY	5	5	(3:30) Football		Wheel	Jeopar..	Grio Awards (N)				48 Hours (N)		News
34 WBKI	7	7	JudgeJ..	JudgeJ..	TwoM..	TwoM..	A Waltons Thanksgiving ('22)				WDRB News		9-1-1
41 WDRB	8	9	(4:00) College Football			Update	College Football Teams TBA (N) (Live)						
A&E	28	36	Neighb..	Neighb..	Neighb..	Neighb..	Neighb..	Neighb..	Legends	Legends	Buddy		Neighb..
AMC	29	26	National Lampoon's Vacation				Uncle Buck ('89)				(:15) Police Academy		
COM	45	59	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Movie
DISC	31	38	Expedition		Expedition		Expedition Unknown				Expedition Unknown		
DISN	25	29	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Mickey	Mickey	Shorts..	Big City	Ladyb..	Ladyb..	Jessie
ESPN	32	44	(3:30) Fo..	Scoreb..	College Football Florida State at Florida (N) (Live)						Scoreb..	College Football	
FREE	18	40	(5:50) Dr. Seuss' How the Grinch Stole Chr...				Raya and the Last Dragon ('21)						Movie
FX	40	28	Santa Clause 3: Escape Clause				The Grinch ('18)				The Grinch ('18)		
HBO	201	17	(:05) The Nun II ('23)				Now You See Me ('13)				Now You See Me 2		
MAX	270	73	Movie	(:25) Cold Light of Day			Big Momma's House			Big Momma's House 2			Movie
NEWSNTN	20	20	Blue Bloods		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation		NewsN..
PARMT	35	41	(:55) Yellowstone		(:55) Yellowstone		Yellowstone		(:15) Yellowstone		(:15) Yellowstone		
SHOW	221	16	Donovan "Baby"		Ray Donovan		Ray Donovan		Mafia Mamma ('23)		Everything E...		
TMC	233	74	(:15) Broadcast Signal Intrusion				The Bigfoot Trap ('23)		Teeth ('07)				Movie
TNT	27	43	(4:30) Doctor S...		Rampage (N)		Wrestling: Collision (N) (Live)				National Lampoon's C...		
USA	26	33	Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark..

SUNDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	WAV..	NBCN..	Football (N)		(:15) Football Baltimore Ravens at Los Angeles Chargers (N)						
4 WTTV	4		(4:25) NFL Football			60 Minutes (N)			Yellowstone (N)		Yellowstone (N)		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	NBCN..	Football (N)		(:15) Football Baltimore Ravens at Los Angeles Chargers (N)						
8 WISH	12		News	FamFe..	Sullivan's		The Chosen (N)			Whose..	News	Sports	News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	Fun Videos (N)		Disney Holiday (N)				Light Fight (SP)		News
11 WHAS	11	4	World..	News	Fun Videos (N)		Disney Holiday (N)				Light Fight (SP)		News
15 WKPC	13		(5:00) 70s Soul Superstars			Hotel Portofino-Tour			All Creatures Great			Roy Orbison	
19 WXIX	10		(4:00) Football		LEGO Masters		Simpso..	Krapo..	Burgers	Family..	FOX19 (N)		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	(4:25) NFL Football			60 Minutes (N)			Yellowstone (N)		Yellowstone (N)		News
34 WBKI	7	7	BigBa..	BigBa..	Sullivan's		The Chosen (N)			Whose..	Good Dr		House..
41 WDRB	8	9	DIY Sci	Pets	LEGO Masters		Simpso..	Krapo..	Burgers	Family..	WDRB News		Worry
A&E	28	36	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		First48
AMC	29	26	(5:45) Uncle Buck ('89)				Christmas With the Kranks				Christmas With the K...		
COM	45	59	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..
DISC	31	38	Homestead Rescue (N)				Homestead Rescue (N)				The Garden (N)		Homes..
DISN	25	29	Big City	Big City	Big City	BigCity	Santa	Santa	(:20) The Naughty Nine ('23)				Stuck
ESPN	32	44	Volleyball		SportCtr (N)		SportC..	Drive	SC Featured		Don't Ever		SportC..
FREE	18	40	(5:10) Santa Cl...		(:20) The Santa Clause 2 ('02)					(:50) Santa Clause 3: Escape Clause			
FX	40	28	(5:00) Grinch		Home Alone ('90) Macaulay Culkin.					Home Alone 2: Lost in New York			
HBO	201	17	(4:55) Tina ('21)		(:55) The King's Speech (P)				Gilded (N)		The Gilded Age		LastW..
MAX	270	73	(:15) I Love You, Man ('09)				Road Trip			(:35) Office Space			Movie
NEWSNTN	20	20	Blue Bloods		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation		NewsN..
PARMT	35	41	(5:30) Yellowst.		(:55) Yellowstone		The Dark Knight ('08) Heath Ledger, Christian Bale.						
SHOW	221	16	Ray Donovan		(:05) Dexter		Mayor of (N)		Travelers (N)		The Curse (N)		Travel..
TMC	233	74	(5:50) World Trade Center				The Curious Case of Benjamin Button					(:50) Labor Day	
TNT	27	43	National Lampoon's Christmas ...				National Lampoon's Christmas ...				A Christmas Story Ch...		
USA	26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-S..

MONDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	WAV..	NBCN..	WAV..	News	The Voice (N)				Weak Link (N)		WAV..
4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBSN..	BigBa..	Sheldon	Rudolph		Let-Make (N)		NCIS		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	NBCN..	WLWT	Hollyw..	The Voice (N)				Weak Link (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Inside..	ET (N)	Penn & Teller		Master..	Animals	News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	Extra	Football Chicago Bears at Minnesota Vikings (N)						News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Inside..	Football Chicago Bears at Minnesota Vikings (N)						News
15 WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	NewsHour (N)		Neil Diamond (N)			Joe Bonamassa Tales (N)			BBCN..
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopar..	Nightmares (N)		Special (N) (SF)		FOX19		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBSN..	Wheel	Jeopar..	Rudolph		Let-Make (N)		NCIS		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	Penn & Teller		Master..	Animals	BigBa..	Sheldon	LastM..
41 WDRB	8	9	WDR..	News	FamFe..	FamFe..	Nightmares (N)		Special (N) (SF)		WDRB News		WDR..
A&E	28	36	Accused: Guilty		Accused: Guilty		Accused: Guilty		Accused: Guilty		Accused: Guilty		Accused
AMC	29	26	Christ..	Frosty's	Miracle on 34th Street				(:15) White Christmas ('54)				
COM	45	59	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	DailyS..
DISC	31	38	Contraband		Contraband		Contraband		Contraband (N)		Contraband		Contra..
DISN	25	29	Kiff	Big City	Big City	Big City	Hailey	Hailey	Marvel..	Ladyb..	Ladyb..	Ladyb..	Villains
ESPN	32	44	Monday Night (N) (Live)				Football Chicago Bears at Minnesota Vikings (N)						Postga..
FREE	18	40	(:55) Frozen ('13) Kristen Bell.					(:25) Frozen II ('19)				Movie	700Club
FX	40	28	(5:00) Predator		The Martian ('15) Matt Damon.						Gone in 60 Seconds		
HBO	201	17	Movie	(:55) The Intern ('15) Robert De Niro.					Love Won (F)		30Coins	(:50) Love Won	
MAX	270	73	(5:50) Moonfall ('22)				Taken 3 ('14)			(:50) Orphan ('09)			
NEWSNTN	20	20	Elizabeth (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo
PARMT	35	41	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	Shooter ('07) Michael Peña, Mark Wahlberg.						Movie
SHOW	221	16	(:05) Southpaw ('15)				(:10) The Curse		Travelers		The Lesson ('23) (P)		
TMC	233	74	(:20) Shaft Samuel L. Jackson.				Notorious ('09)				(:05) Paid in Full		
TNT	27	43	(5:30) Charlie & the Chocolate Fa...				Elf ('03) Will Ferrell.				Elf ('03)		
USA	26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU		WWE Monday Night RAW (N) (Live)						Bar (N)

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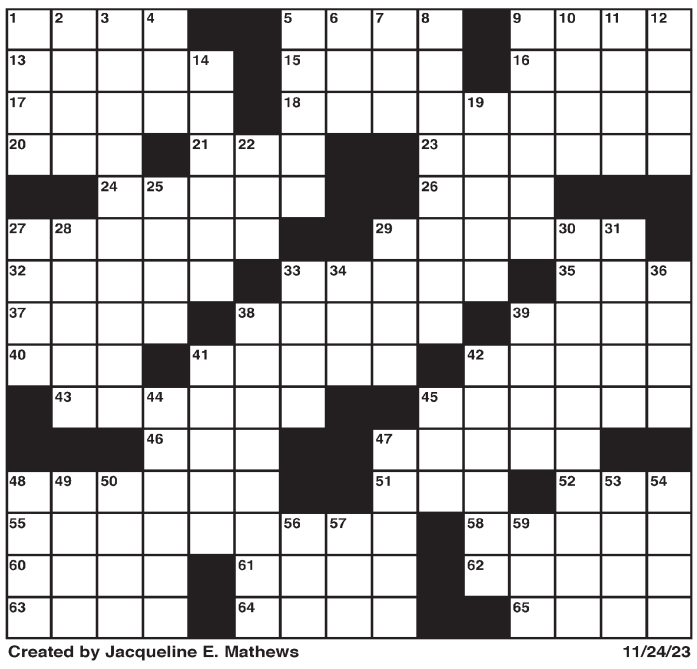

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ACROSS

1 Cry loudly
5 Finds a purpose for
9 With 38 Down, fancy breakfast
13 Lazybones
15 Reds or Browns
16 High-five sound
17 Test answer
18 Creepy crawler
20 Bird that runs
21 Dined
23 Mariners
24 Back tooth
26 Accessory for Charlie Chaplin
27 Batter's delight
29 Straightforward
32 Sweet stuff
33 Welcome blessings
35 Feedbag morsel
37 As slippery __ eel
38 Fort __; NC army base's old name
39 Climb __; mount
40 Trawler's item
41 Precious ones
42 Body of water
43 Moment
45 Waist-length jacket
46 Wrath
47 Nickname for Elizabeth
48 Scorching
51 Suffix for absorb or persist
52 "Raiders of the Lost __"; '81 film
55 Careless omission
58 Banks of baseball
60 Mr. Bridges
61 Layer of paint
62 Duck hunter's ploy
63 Messes up
64 Heavy book
65 Flea collar wearers

DOWN

1 Meghan, to Harry
2 Apple sampler
3 Brighten
4 French article
5 Absolute; total
6 Costeau's realm
7 Cochlea's place
8 "Great!" in Britain
9 Manor & land around it
10 Downcast
11 Actor Gordon
12 Stretch across
14 "No kidding?"
19 Gets close to
22 Light bulb inventor's initials
25 Ready for business
27 Other __; besides
28 Mother's Day gift, perhaps
29 Pluto & Snoopy
30 Vehicle
31 __ tots; kid-pleasing side dish
33 Paper fastener
34 Skiff mover
36 Mexican bull
38 See 9 Across
39 Applies WD-40 to
41 __ Day
42 Decayed
44 Wispy cloud
45 Pa Cartwright
47 Actress Davis
48 Mother-__; shower honoree
49 __ the moon; ecstatic
50 Backside
53 Hilarious person
54 Islets off Florida
56 Sticky gunk
57 Cured meat
59 U.S. Capitol Bldg. worker

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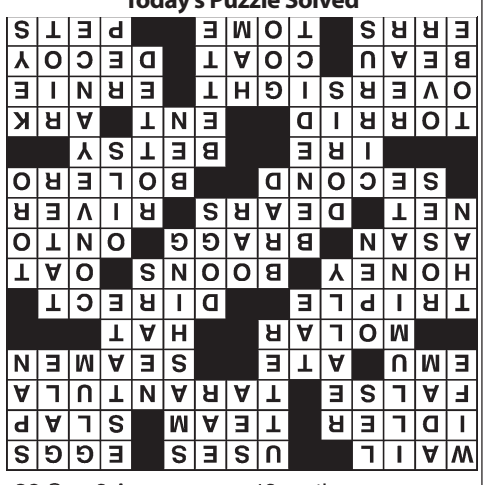

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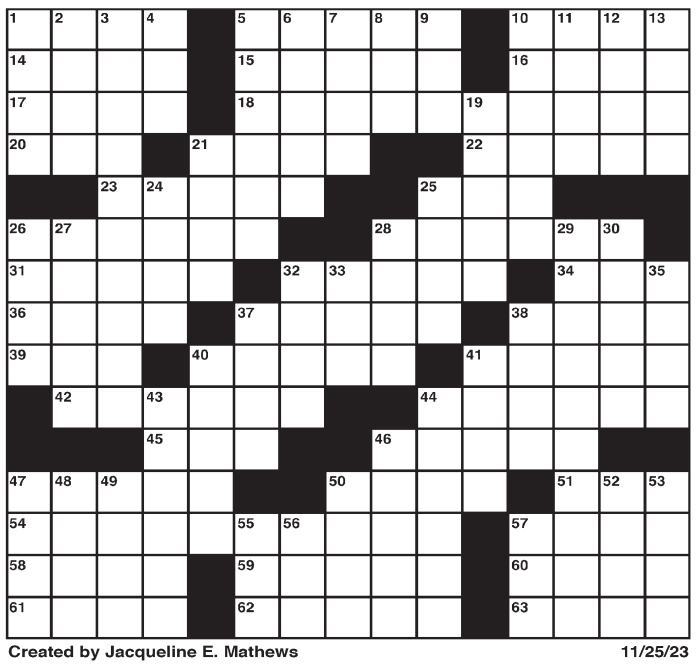

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15 In the know
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17 Kill flies
18 Rude; disrespectful
20 Where to find ossicles
21 Utilizes
22 Takes a break
23 Punctured
25 Faux __; slipup
26 Seafood platter favorites
28 Hand-beaten drum
31 Bulldozes
32 Nikes
34 Snake that kills
36 Some of Keats' works
37 Wicked weather
38 In __; constantly changing
39 Knight's title
40 Piece of china
41 Heed the alarm clock
42 Fish-eating bird
44 Prolonged attacks
45 Noisy quarrel
46 Island nation
47 Saddle fastener
50 Crow comments
51 Weight unit
54 Fleeting; brief
57 "__ But the Brave"; Sinatra film
58 Piglet's cry
59 Hint of color
60 Make tea
61 Cauldrons
62 Derisive smile
63 Unwanted growth

DOWN

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5 Brief stops
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7 Fails to keep up
8 Get it wrong
9 Word attached to shore or shell
10 Most cunning
11 Showers with flowers
12 __ above the others; superior
13 Supervisor
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21 Large coffeepots
24 Is beholden to
25 "Annabel Lee" or "To a Mouse"
26 Major leaguers
27 Nightstand item
28 __ off; left suddenly
29 Not optional
30 Cursor mover
32 Stick around
33 Feverish
35 Sharp tools
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40 Stage items
41 Has a bug
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44 Twain's Tom
46 Woman's nickname
47 Heed a red light
48 Threesome
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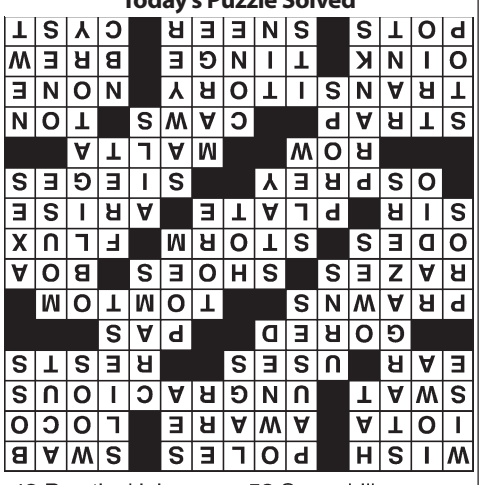

Household chores become high-stakes game

AMY DICKINSON
ASK AMY

Dear Amy: My husband and I have a bright, high-functioning 16-year-old daughter.

I have been teaching her how to perform basic household chores (I do the same with our 12-year-old son) and some basic cooking and cleaning skills in order to have some help at home, but mainly so that our kids will understand that everyone in the family pitches in and that it's important to have some life-skills. I am a stay-at-home parent and a busy volunteer at their school.

At first, I thought our daughter didn't understand some of these basic instructions, which I had shown her and then written down.

She just couldn't seem to get things right. She used floor cleaner on the stove, left wet paper towels on the wooden dining room table, damaging it, and a few other mess-ups like "forgetting" to put wet laundry in the dryer but leaving it on the floor instead.

Then I overheard her bragging to her cousin that she was purposely messing up in order to get me to back off.

I am furious. My husband thinks she's being clever and doesn't want to punish her.

What do you think I should do now? — Disgusted

Dear Disgusted: I think it's time your daughter learned another life-skill — the concept of natural consequences.

In short, if she fails a task, she will be asked to do it again, until she demonstrates some basic competence.

If she deliberately causes damage, then she should be expected to compensate the family for it.

If she does a load of laundry and deliberately leaves wet clothes on the floor instead of in the dryer, you can place the soggy pile onto her bed.

You should do your best to stay calm throughout: "I get it that you don't want to do this. I don't enjoy doing it, either. I'll just hold onto your phone (laptop, etc.) until you figure out how to do this. You'll get there!"

And because your husband thinks this is so clever, perhaps he should take over these household chores that make his life easier and assume some responsibility for teaching your children some of these skills.

In my opinion, he is a big part of the problem. If he teamed up with you, your daughter wouldn't disrespect your household so easily.

Quiltmaker isn't stitching a 3rd gift

AMY DICKINSON
ASK AMY

Dear Amy: A few years ago, I offered to make a T-shirt quilt as a graduation gift for a co-worker's oldest son.

She purchased the materials, and I provided the skill and labor.

She and her son were thrilled with the quilt, and she mentioned that I would have two more to go down the road for her other two sons as they graduated.

I was taken aback with this expectation but didn't say anything. I retired soon after and had minimal contact with her.

A year later, however, when her middle child was graduating, she contacted me to ask if I would make the same type of T-shirt quilt for this son, which I did.

I haven't had any contact with her since that son's graduation.

Now, two years later, her last child will be graduating this upcoming spring, and I am anticipating that she will contact me and expect me to make him a quilt.

Even if I was an invited guest to his graduation (unlikely), I would gladly give him a reasonable monetary gift instead of providing hours of labor on a quilt, which equates into a generous gift for someone I don't have a relationship with.

I want your advice on how to kindly tell her that I don't intend to offer my handiwork, if asked.

— Tired of the Ts

Dear Tired: Mastering the power of saying "no" can be life-altering.

A polite "no" is brief, neutral and does not offer a list of reasons, which might come off as excuses or worse — invite further inquiry and conversation.

Should this issue surface again, my suggestion for you is to respond: "I'm no longer able to do this, but congratulations on your son's graduation. Hello empty nest!"

If you'd care to, you could suggest the name of another person in the quilting community who might be interested in taking on this task.

Once your former co-worker sees how much she would be charged for this custom quilt, she might value even more the time and talent you invested in creating these treasures.

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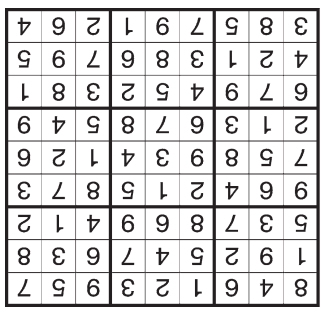

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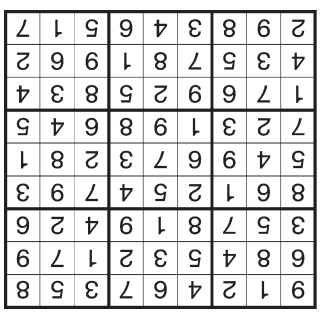

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ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Your time and expertise may be in high demand right now and your hard work might be getting noticed. Family, friends, or coworkers might be willing to lend a hand or repay past favors if you need them.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — You could be admired for your friendliness and spontaneity. By using your imagination, you may produce ingenious solutions to some workplace problems. Do your best to rise above serious subjects and just enjoy the moment.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Good advice can be priceless. You may know deep in your heart that the most valuable things do not come with a price tag. Endless optimism could counteract someone's occasional episodes of negativity.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Being friendly when meeting someone new may help you widen your network of acquaintances. You might feel it is time to tighten your purse strings and be more discriminating about large purchases right now.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — You may be able to impress people with your open-minded attitude and unwavering dependability. Your steadiness could influence your loved ones who might wish to try out more risky activities. Avoid impulsive shopping sprees right now.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — It may be better to be known for inspiring words rather than actions behind the scenes. Now could be a suitable time to set good examples and enjoy the benefits of sharing plans or your dreams with others.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — If family events or social get-togethers interfere with routine tasks or bill paying schedules it could set you back eventually. Do your best to pay attention to your finances and job responsibilities before you enjoy your free time.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — A long weekend could give you a chance to recover your balance. Do not switch investment strategies at the last minute. Remain savvy when shopping and look for price cuts or coupons instead of paying full price.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — Stepping in as a peacemaker can help to enhance your reputation. Loved ones may not always appreciate your input but your positivity and optimistic reassurances could help you divert a disagreement.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Once you get things rolling along, they can gain momentum all on their own. You could get the chance to relax and spend more time with friends or family. It may not require much effort to have things go your way.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Someone's lecture might turn into a jumble of words that can make you doubt your own knowledge or understanding. Be skeptical of sales pitches and double check that claims are not exaggerated.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — Avoid making excuses and move forward with caution. Analyzing and learning from your past mistakes can help you cross the finish line more easily. Appearing unthreatening could help you get through someone else's gauntlet.

ASTROLOGY

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Do what needs to be done. If you get your tasks completed quickly it could be possible for you to escape for a romantic weekend or an adventure with friends. Your whims might be satisfied with a snap of your fingers.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — People may frequently seek your opinions because they value your honesty and objectivity. A unique perspective could help catapult you into the spotlight where you can enjoy your five minutes of fame and renown.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — An innocent remark could be misinterpreted and land you in the doghouse. Now may not be the time to pursue an abstract idea or engage in a group outing or some community activities. A social interaction might reduce confidence.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Hanging out with friends or engaging with your social network contacts could help spark some entertaining ideas. You might feel comfortable in a group setting or in activities where safety in numbers is key.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Your people skills may be valued, and your friendliness could be appreciated, especially if you are sharing some fun activities. Your cheerful outlook can energize and uplift the tired spirit of a stressed out loved one.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Your dreams might have the chance to become reality if you can pair up with a compatible sidekick. There may be some constant reminders of your responsibilities, but they could be easy for you to manage.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — You can express unconditional love by accepting whatever may come your way without quibbling. Your sincere concern paired with the ability to arrive at logical conclusions might be the key to settling a difference of opinion.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — You could be barking up the wrong tree right now. It may be time to put your schemes aside and avoid challenging an established procedure. Fighting over protocols can be exhausting for everyone and might get you nowhere.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — You may not want to be reminded of your duties or obligations during carefree down time; do your best to find balance. Your imaginative ideas may have merit, but you may need to express them more clearly.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Your partner may introduce you to a new way of thinking or introduce you to some new friends who can help relieve your boredom. Unique concepts might bring you some opportunities for entertaining adventures with your loved ones.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Trying to make a profit or cut costs might come at too high a price. Despite the hype it may not be the best time for a shopping trip, the items on sale might not be the bargain they seem at first glance.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — You may be able to sit down and sort out your problems if you are able to find a method in the madness. Misunderstandings or mixed messages could add some confusion. Do your best to focus on carefree group outings.

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Blue Wolf Vape, LLC.
/s/ Karen Conaway
Managing Member
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Notice of Public Meeting

Jefferson County Council will hold a special called meeting on November 27, 2023 at 5pm. This meeting will be held at the Troy D. Morgan Public Safety Center located at 620 Green Rd. Madison, IN. This meeting is being held to discuss a proposed tax abatement

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STATE OF INDIANA
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON
SS:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY
ESTATE DOCKET 39C01-2311-EU-000081
IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED
ESTATE
OF MARTHA S. VAUGHN, DECEASED.
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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARTHA S. VAUGHN, DECEASED.
Notice is hereby given that Donald R. Vaughn was, on the 13th day of November, 2023, appointed personal representative of the estate of Martha S. Vaughn, deceased, who died on the 8th day of October, 2023.
All persons who have claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Madison, Indiana, this 13th day of November , 2023.

/s/ Tabatha Eblen
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, IN
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STATE OF INDIANA
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON
JEFFERSON COURT
CAUSE NO. 39C01-2311-MI-953
IN RE The Name Change Of:
Vanessa Gail Dermon
Petitioner

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Vanessa Gail Dermon, whose mailing address is 2517 Poplar Ridge Lane; Madison, Indiana 47250, in the Jefferson County Indiana, hereby gives notice that Vanessa Gail Dermon has filed a petition in the Jefferson Court requesting that her name be changed to Vanessa Gail Barron.
Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on January, 9 2024 at 9:30 am.

/s/ Vanessa Gail Dermon
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BPWS sets parking closures for Ohio Theatre, DG Market work

BY BOB DEMAREE

Work is scheduled to soon begin on the facade of the Ohio Theatre at about the same time that construction will start to renovate the former grocery site at 120 East Second Street into a DG Market.

Madison's Board of Public Works and Safety at Monday's meeting approved parking space closures at both sites to facilitate work that will be taking place on the projects as well as approval for the contract to restore the facade and marque at the Ohio Theatre. Both projects are expected to be completed by June of next year.

The Ohio Theatre facade and marque project is being funded by $250,000 provided through the city of Madison from READI funds received through Our Southern Indiana Regional Development Authority and $250,000 in matching funds from the Friends of the Ohio Theatre, the non-profit that owns the building.

The contract for the Ohio Theatre project was awarded to Midwest Maintenance Inc. of Piqua, Ohio, at a cost of $409,900, which is below what was budgeted. Authorization was given for Madison Mayor Bob Courtney to finalize the contract and the local grant agreement with Friends of the Ohio Theatre.

Tony Steinhardt III, the city's director of economic development, said Midwest Maintenance is "known for historic preservation work like this." He said the company has done restoration on the Culbertson Mansion State Historic Site in New Albany, as well as several courthouses in Indiana and Ohio. "We feel comfortable in their ability.

"We're really excited today," Steinhardt added. "This is an important milestone in the life of the Ohio Theatre, and the Friends of the Ohio Theatre group."

Dan Slygh, a member of the board for Friends of the Ohio Theatre, said the restoration work will include the windows, the total facade, re-doing the marquee and updating the door to be ADA compliant. "We're giving it a facelift that's well needed," said Slygh.

Courtney said the city will be managing and assisting Friends of the Ohio Theatre in the oversight of the project. "It's been an important project which is why we wanted to include it our READI application because of the significance it has with our Main Street and with the history of the Ohio Theatre" in the city. "It's a focal point for the city."

Steinhardt said the restoration of the outside of the Ohio Theatre is "a catalyst for people to see the importance of the theater and the work that needs to take place inside." He said there remains to be "hundreds of thousands of dollars to be spent on the inside for restoration purposes," and Friends of the Ohio Theatre is "working hard to raise those dollars."

BPWS approved a resolution that temporarily closes parking spaces and the sidewalk directly in front of the building at 103 and 105 East Main Street as well as three parking spaces located on the southeast corner of the parking lot adjacent to Lytle Park.

"Because of the kind of work we're doing, which is requiring the dismantling of the marquee," there will be demolition and construction taking place over the sidewalk, requiring the closure of those sidewalks on Main Street in front of the theater for the safety of pedestrians and motorists. The closed parking spaces will be converted into a temporary sidewalk with ramps and concrete barricades to allow pedestrians to proceed safely around the construction zone.

In addition, with the work being on Main Street, the contractor has requested a place to lay down equipment and to locate a construction trailer during the project. "We felt Lytle Park was the best location for that" on the south side nearest the alley, said Steinhardt.

The closure of the sidewalks was approved to begin Dec. 15 and finish June 1 of next year. Steinhardt said work on the Ohio Theatre will begin after Dec. 15 and the "good news is the goal of this project is to be done before the Regatta" and "contractors seem to think that is possible and will be starting soon."

Steinhardt said once restored the facade will maintain much the same style as it is today with red brick on each side and white fired brick in the middle. He said design of the marquee will not change and although there will be new doors, they will still have an historic look. Once restored, Steinhardt said the facade "will look brand new, be shiny and bright and welcome all."

BPWS also approved a resolution to temporarily close the alley between First and Second streets on the west side of the grocery building at 120 East Second Street that will become the new DG Market, along with temporarily closing the three parking spaces directly in front of that building to facilitate construction and staging from Dec. 1 through June 1, 2024.

The parking lot next to the grocery store will also be closed during construction.

"Another great project for the community is getting ready to kick off in full force, and that's the downtown DG Market," said Steinhardt, noting closing on the sale of the building to Rafferty Development LLC took place in late October.

He said there will not only be construction on the DG Market but the city will also be doing infrastructure upgrades in that area involving curbs, sidewalks and streets as well as landscaping and solar lighting in the parking lot next to the grocery store to provide public parking spaces on the south side.

"This area will be very congested for the first half of 2024 but I think the outcome will be well worth the wait," said Steinhardt.

There is another section of parking spaces currently closed in the 200 block of Main Street between the Electric Lady at 202 East Main St. and Bellos Pizza at 216 East Main Street. Deputy Mayor Mindy McGee said the closure of parking spaces there is related to line replacement being done related to a building restoration.

Nicole Schell, the city's director of planning, said the only building restoration that she's aware in that area is at 206-208 East Main Street, the former Oscar C. Bear and Son Jewelers (1907 to 1992), owned by Brantley and Katie Beck. The Becks purchased the building during the summer of 2022 with plans to develop the 8,000-square-foot property into two retail spaces with three residential apartments on the second and third floors. Schell said the building permit for that property is good through February 2024 although she doesn't anticipate work lasting the entire permit period.

In other business, the board:

- Approved a disbursement of $876,081 to Dave O'Mara Contractor for improvements at the city's existing water treatment facilities and booster pump stations as part of the city's water infrastructure project.
- Provided approval to set the speed limit for Sunrise Crossing Boulevard at 20 mph from Michigan Road to where the Residences of Sunrise Crossing are to be constructed. Additionally, approval was given to lower the speed limit on Michigan Road from Autumnwood Lane to Clifty Drive from 40 mph to 35 mph. The change is part of the process of multi-modal transportation in sharing the road with bicycles and golf carts. "That brings us into compliance" with the Federal Highway Administration for standards in sharing the road to safely stripe and sign the road for those uses to emphasize that it is a shared road.
- Approved the final agreement to utilize state right-of-way for installation and maintaining of wayfinding signs in four locations — eastbound and westbound on State Road 56/62 at Michigan Road, and northbound and southbound on Michigan Road to provide signage to direct motorists to local destinations such as historic downtown, Sunrise Golf Course, Shawe and Madison high schools, Hanover College, Ivy Tech and the hospital.
- Approved a midpoint PACE award of $4,250 for a dilapidated grant at 907 West Main St., owned by Steven and Jane Martin, in which half has been completed with tuck pointing and painting. Schell said the amount of the disbursement is 50% of what's been spent so far.
- Approved a six-month extension for the completion of dilapidated structures PACE grant to Mark Viterna at 526 Walnut Street to Sept. 20, 2024. "The issue is they are at the point where they are needing to paint and they don't want to do that during the cold weather," said Schell.

SR 62 to close west of Canaan for bridge replacement

BY THE COURIER STAFF

A bridge replacement project will close State Road 62 approximately 3 miles west of Canaan on or after Monday, Nov. 27.

Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) contractor E&B Paving Inc. is scheduled to close State Road 62 over Toddy's Branch approximately one mile east of North Copeland Ridge Road for the bridge replacement.

The road is expected to reopen in late February, weather permitting.

Throughout the closure, motorists should use the official detour route which follows U.S. 421 and State Road 129.

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This project is part of a contract awarded to E&B Paving Inc. in February 2023 and includes a total of five bridge rehabilitation projects on State Road 62 in Jefferson County.

All work is weather-dependent and schedules are subject to change.

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STATE OF INDIANA
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON
SS:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY
ESTATE DOCKET 39C01-2311-EU-000082
IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED ESTATE OF
DARRYL A. SMITH, DECEASED.
William Joseph Jenner, JENNER, PATTISON & SHARPE, 508 E. Main Street, Madison, IN 47250; (812) 265-5132

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DARRYL A. SMITH, DECEASED.
Notice is hereby given that Norman L. Smith was, on the 13th day of November, 2023, appointed personal representative of the estate of Darryl A. Smith, deceased, who died on the 22nd day of September, 2023.
All persons who have claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Madison, Indiana, this 13th day of November, 2023.

/s/ Tabatha Eblen
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, IN
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November 17, 2023
City Ordinance Sec. 97.02 (D) gives the Parks Board the power and duties set forth in IC 36-10-4-9(c)(3) Under IC 36-10-4-9(c) (3), the Parks board can make rules for the management of the property under its control, the parks. IC 36-10-4-15 states: " All rules that the board adopts under this chapter shall be published in accordance with IC 5-3-1.
2024 Rates to be determined at the Park's Board meeting December 7th 2023: 5:00pm in City Hall:

Sunrise Golf Course:
2023 Rates
Add Spouse: $535.00 per year.
Cart Barn Storage - $350.00 2023 calendar year
Proposed 2024 Rates
Add Spouse: $550.00 per year.
Cart Barn Storage: Electric Carts $400.00 2024 (calendar year)
Proposed 2024 Daily Rates
Hand Cart Rental 18 holes $15.00; 9 holes $10.00 Private cart rental all days $15.00; 9 holes $10.00

Campground
Premium Weekends:
a. Full Solar Eclipse (Friday Apri l 5, 2024, check-in, Monday, April 8, 2024, check out) Pricing shall be $99.99 per night plus taxes for both Riverfront and Riverview (mandat ory 3- night booking)

Pickleball
Proposed 2024 Rates - Ages 16 and older
Youth (under 16)-1Year nights only; $50.00

Jefferson County Youth Soccer
2023 Rates
Spring Soccer: $1,000.00
Fall Soccer $2,000.00
Proposed 2024 Daily Rates
Spring Soccer: $1,500.00
Fall Soccer $2,000.00
Concession Rental - Spring: $100.00
Concession Rental Fall: $100.00
Cleaning Deposit - Spring: $100.00
Cleaning Deposit Fall: $100.00

Pavilion Rentals
Proposed 2024 Daily Rates
Rental per hour : $25.00
Rental per day: $75.00
Request for additional power (where available): $25.00/hr.

Rucker Sports Complex
Proposed 2024 Daily Rates
Travel Baseball and softball practices: $25/event (waived if team hosts an 8 team tournament) Non-Profit rentals: 50% of daily rental fee

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SUMMONS - SERVICE BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF INDIANA
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON
SS:
IN THE JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT
CAUSE NO. 39C01-2311-MF-000981
FEDERAL HOME LOAN MORTGAGE CORPORATION, AS TRUSTEE
FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FREDDIE MAC SEASONED LOANS
STRUCTURED TRANSACTION TRUST, SERIES 2021-2,
Plaintiff,
vs.
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF DONALD THOMPSON, DECEASED, AMY THOMPSON and RECEIVABLES MANAGEMENT PARTNERS, LLC,
Defendants.
NOTICE OF SUIT
The State of Indiana to the Defendant(s) above named, and any other person who may be concerned.
You are hereby notified that you have been sued in the Court above named.
The nature of the suit against you is:
In Rem Complaint on Note and to Foreclose Mortgage on Real Estate Against the property commonly known as 492 E County Road 733 N, Madison, IN 47250 and described as follows:
SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF JEFFERSON AND THE STATE OF INDIANA:
A PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN MONROE TOWNSHIP, THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 26, TOWNSHIP 5 NORTH, RANGE 10, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT A POINT 1098 FEET NORTH OF THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID QUARTER SECTION; THENCE RUNNING NORTH 565.88 FEET TO A COUNTY ROAD; THENCE WEST WITH SAID COUNTY ROAD 169 FEET TO THE EAST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF U.S. 421; THENCE SOUTH 6° WEST 569 FEET TO AN IRON STAKE; THENCE EAST 223 1/2 FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 2 1/2 ACRES MORE OR LESS BUT SUBJECT TO ALL LEGAL HIGHWAYS ANDOTHER EASEMENTS.
EXCEPTION THEREOF:
A PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN MONROE TOWNSHIP, IN THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 26, TOWNSHIP 5 NORTH, RANGE 10 EAST DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT A POINT 1098 FEET NORTH OF THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID QUARTER SECTION; THENCE RUNNING NORTH 194 FEET; THENCE WEST PARALLEL WITH A COUNTY ROAD 220 FEET, MORE OR LESS TO THE EAST RIGHT OF WAY LINE U.S. 421; THENCE SOUTH 6° WEST 194 FEET TO AN IRON STAKE; THENCE EAST 223 1/2 FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 1 ACRE, MORE OR LESS, BUT SUBJECT TO ALL LEGAL HIGHWAYS AND EASEMENTS.
Subject to a utility easement recorded September 19, 2012, as instrument no 2012-04358.
This summons by publication is specifically directed to the following named defendant(s): Amy Thompson and Receivables Management Partners, LLC
This summons by publication is specifically directed to the following named defendant(s) whose whereabouts are unknown: The Unknown Heirs and Devisees of Donald Thompson, Deceased
If you have a claim for relief against the plaintiff arising from the same transaction or occurrence, you must assert it in your written answer or response.
You must answer the Complaint in writing, by you or your attorney, within thirty (30) days after the Third Notice of Suit, and if you fail to do so a judgment by default may be entered against you for the relief demanded, by the Plaintiff.
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By /s/ BRYAN K. REDMOND
BRYAN K. REDMOND
Attorney No. 22108-29
Attorney for Plaintiff
BRYAN K. REDMOND
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NEWS OF RECORD

JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL

LODGINGS

November 20, 2023

Jeremiah Arnold White, 27, Austin Indiana, for Obstruction of Justice, Resisting Law Enforcement-Vehicle and Maintaining a Common Nuisance, all Level 6 felonies; Resisting Law Enforcement, a Class A misdemeanor; and Possession of Marijuana and Criminal Recklessness, both Class B misdemeanors. Bond $5,000 cash.

November 21, 2023

Kyle Wayne Ashcraft, 32, on an Jefferson County arrest warrant (revocation of parole). Bond $5,000 cash.

Brett Lance Bennett, 32, Dupont, Indiana for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony; Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor; and on a state parole warrant. No bond.

Tonya Marie Feider, 35, Madison, for Theft, a Class a misdemeanor. Released on own recognizance.

Jason Paul Nugent, 44, Anderson, Indiana, for Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated and Driving While Suspended-Prior Suspension Within 10 Years, both Class A misdemeanors. Released on own recognizance.

November 23, 2023

Steven Ray Perry, 47, Madison, for Public Intoxication Alcohol/Drugs, a Class B misdemeanor. Released on own recognizance.

JEFFERSON COUNTY SUPERIOR & CIRCUIT COURT

SENTENCINGS

November 20, 2023

Gabril Hernandez, 435, Madison, for Operating While Intoxicated, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to zero days jail and ordered to pay $389.50 in fees and court costs.

Brandon D. Owens, 33, Deputy, for Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor. Sentenced to zero days jail and ordered to pay $189 in fees and court costs.

Roberto Perez Mendoza, 33, Madison, for Driving While Suspended, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail, all suspended to non-reporting probation plus $189.50 in fees and court costs.

Jordan Lee Peters, 30, Hanover, for Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. Sentenced to pay $389 in fees and court costs.

Carlos Armando Cordero Polanco, 26, Hanover, for Operating Without Receiving License, a Class C misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail, all suspended to supervised probation plus $239.50 in fee and court costs.

David Wayne Lee McCormick, 50, Madison, for Leaving the Scene of an Accident, a Class B misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail, all suspended to supervised probation plus $289.50 in fees and court costs and restitution to be determined.

November 21, 2023

Robert Allen Harden, 26, Madison, for Domestic Battery and Strangulation, both Level 6 felonies. Sentenced to 730 days at Indiana Department of Correction on each count, concurrent, with credit for 350 days served and 380 days suspended to supervised probation plus $439 in fees and court costs and No Contact Order to continue as term of probation.

Christopher Taylor, 38, Scottsburg, Indiana, to an amended charge of Operating While Intoxicated and Neglect of a Dependent, both Level 6 felonies. Sentenced to 912 days at Indiana Department of Correction on each charge, concurrent, with credit for 128 days jail served and 716 days suspended to supervised probation plus $489.50 in fees and court costs and driver's license suspended for 90 days.

Jaslynn M. Mott, 20, for Domestic Battery, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 365 day jail with credit for 2 days served and 363 days suspended to supervised probation plus $389 in fees and court costs.

Lisa Faye Harris, 36, Alexandria, Indiana, for Possession of Marijuana, a Class A misdemeanor and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail on count one and 2 days jail on count two, concurrent, with credit for 2 days served and 178 days suspended for non-reporting probation plus $389 in fees and court costs.

Jessica Joy Hull, 31, Lexington, Indiana, for Unlawful Possession of a Legend Drug, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 365 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 2 days served and 363 days suspended to supervised probation plus $389 in fees and court costs. Upon successful completion of probation defendant may petition court to modify felony sentence to a misdemeanor.

Danell M. Zaabani, 58, Madison, to amended charges of Unlawful Possession of a Legend drug, a Level 6 felony and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. Sentenced to 365 days at Indiana Department of Correction on the felony and 2 days jail on the misdemeanor, concurrent, with credit for 2 days served and 363 days suspended to supervised probation plus $289 in fees and court costs. Upon successful completion of probation defendant may petition court to modify felony sentence to a misdemeanor.

Kathleen M. Patton, Dupont, Indiana, for Theft, a Level 6 felony. Defendant sentenced to 365 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for zero time served and 365 days suspended to supervised probation plus $389 in fees and court costs. Upon successful completion of probation defendant may petition court to modify felony sentence to a misdemeanor.